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BALANCE OF POWER IN NORTH MAKING HER FIT FOR TRIP

IN H.M.S. 'MOTH' AFLOAT

is Minister for War, In China, is it was learned to-day. She has redoubtable "dry" Senator, Mr. way in which the racial problem hinted in a report to hand to-day. been towed to a position about Borah.

was kept everywhere to the fore- A Royal Naval communique The Witches above Webster Rocks. Mr. Bo

due to an alleged combination between Marshal Chiang Kai-shek

The work of making her fit for the passage to Hong Kong, examination and repairs, is now proceeding.

2,000 indicated horsepower. guns.

COAL BOOM EFFECTS OF THE FROSTY

WEATHER

DEMAND FOR MINERS

London, Yesterday. The frosty weather in England, which experts are of opinion is likely to last some days, besides providing skaters more opportunities than they have had for years, has created a temporary boom in

Practically every colliery in "Reeat Britain is -working at full capacity, and the demand for skilled miners is increasing daily.

Some of General Feng Yu-

MORTUARIES FULL RESULT OF COLD WAVE AT PRAGUE

mal. The mortuaries are over- inghouse Electric Company.-Reuflowing and the staff at the Cre- ter's American Service. materium are working evertime. Reuter.

shan's territory adjoins the north of Honan (the "Christian General's" sphere) and Shantung-the apparent bone of contention-adjoins the north of Kiangsu, which is Chiang Kai-shek's holding.

referred to, reading:-No confirmation has yet been obtained that fighting has already occurred

Tsining, it is to be noted, is on the Grand Canal. in the south of Shantung, whence the "Christian General" is reported to have despatched troops to take over control. was lying in forty feet of water. It is dangerously near Kiangsu and

the communique says:-There is second time through the torpedo torily. no change to report in the situation room.—Reuter's American Service. at Chefod. A brigand chief, Huieh Feng-chi, is reported to be at

Lungkow. Difficult to Fathorn

Shanghal, Yesterday. The political situation is difficult to fathom at present. While up the lawlessness prevailing in the vicinity of Chefoo.

DRY PROBLEM

"DROWNED IN MOONSHINE" · IN IDAHO

SENATORS' MERRIMENT.

It is believed that Mr. Herbert

The Senators were most amused when Senator Bruce (Maryland) on these occasions, I propose, subread a newspaper article headed: ject to your approval, to take the "Idaho Drowns Dry Problem in report and accounts as read. Moonshine." describing the condi-

goes to the House of Representa- therefore to go through the princi-

GROUND LIGHTED BY AN

A POWERFUL BEACON

ports and the inland waterways of a 24,000,000 candle-power electric to the Geheral Reserve Account. beacon without the aid of the Advantage was take whenever

The test was successfully repeat-

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THRILLS FOR NAVAL OFFICERS

Key West, Yesterday. Two naval officers have again tested their submarine safety de-A fortnight ago these two officers. using masks inflated with oxygen. successfully tested an escape hatch capital invested in it by this Comfitted to the submarine S4, which pany. sank a year ago. She has now been transformed into a safety testing \$95,000 were outstanding on the ship. The experimenters safely date of the balance sheet; the

They insisted upon twice re-enter- quarterly accounts rendered at the ing the submarine while she was end of the year. Asum of about With regard to developments in lying on the bottom and each time \$65,000 was collected in the first the east of Shantung, where rebels escaped easily, the first time five weeks of this year, and the and bandits are stirring up trouble, through the motor-room and the balance has since run off satisfac-

ING CARRIED REGULARLY

Meanwhile, a recent resolution - The death is announced of Lord the General Reserve Account of

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PROFITS INCREASED BIG CAPITAL LOCKED UP IN

The 32nd ordinary annual meeting, Pedder-street, to-day.

There were present Mr. C. A. da Roza (Chairman), Sir Robert Ho following shareholders: Messrs. J. T. Bagram, H. J. M. de Figueiredo,

of "Pussyfoot" Johnson against . After the Secretary had read the the Saloon League, Mr. Borah in notice convening the meeting and

Chairman's Speech The chairman said: In accordance with the practice

The affairs of the Company are still in the process of reorganisa-The Bill was adopted and now tion, and it is perhaps desirable

pal items of the balance sheet and make some comments thereon. The attention of the Board during the year under riview was directed,

amongst other matters, to reduction of the loan indebtedness of the Company and to continuation of the policy of Equidating the loans made by the Company at every oppor-In carrying out this policy, loans on the collateral of shares were

A combination of two recent in- realised by the sale of the relative market conditions permetted of a sale-whether of shares or of prothe results as satisfactory as could be expected in the conditions prevailing last year, during which opportunities for advantageous sales

Locked in Loans

.The capital locked in loans, less the provision for loss in realisation. is the important figure approximating 91/2 lakhs of dollars, in regard to which the policy of the Board is known to you. We are awaiting a favourable opportunity to realise

The agreement with the firm of our late General Managers, referred to at the last annual general meeting, has been fully complied with.

Under 'Investments," the book value of 10,000 shares in the Hong Kong & Territorial Estates, Ltd., has been written off to the General Reserve Account. The Company has gone into liquidation, and no return is expected of any part of the

Sunday debtor in the sum of emerged from the vessel when she amount is large, but is incidental to the business and coincides with the

The other assets, gentlemen, do not call for any special explanation. Liabilities Reduced

The Company's liabilities have not been neglected, for le have been able to reduce the same during the year 1928, although not quite so satisfactorily as in 1927, when London, Yesterday. the reduction was about \$480,000.

The Post Mester General stated All sums realised from loans have in the House of Commons that in been applied toward our liabilities, 1928 106,000 letters originating in and during the year under consi-Great Britain were carried by air deration, a lakh was paid off on mail. 850,000 letters were sent mortgages on our property, and the tung. Other reports allege that abroad by ordinary mails and subse- overdraft with our bankers brought the State Council has agreed that Quently, carried by air mail.— down by approximately \$245,000, relieved by \$345,000.

General Reserve Incremed In addressing you last year, gen-London, Yesterday. tlemen, I mentioned a transfer from being required has been realised. As stated before, realisations have of resulted in a handsome surplus:

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BOYLE'S ATTACK ON NEW G.O.C. ARRIVES SGT. KERR "DORSETSHIRE" TIES UP TO

LIFE IN THE ARMY NEW FACTS RELATED TO THE PUISNE JUDGE

PLEA OF "GUILTY" ENTERED

Sentence on Private James Boyle, mand, South China. of the 2nd Batt, the King's Own

red until Friday afternoon. ary Criminal Sessions this morning, Kowloon, this morning. He was before his Honour the Puisne Judge met by a number of officers in the (Mr. Justice Wood) to unlawfully Garrison and proceeded to Headand maliciously wounding Sgt. Kerr, quarters later in the day.

bodily harm. Mr. Somerset Eltzroy (Assistant 8, on the "Dorsetshire's" return Attorney-General) appeared for the voyage.

was in charge of the case.

Kerr. Adjutant of the 2nd Batt. K.O.S.B.'s. Italian, the Bedfordshire & Hert-Some non-commissioned officers and fordshire Regiment. men from Boyle's regiment were also present as spectators.

Most Extraordinary On the Clerk reading out the indictment (under Section 17 of Ordinance 2 of 1865) Boyle, who was dressed in uniform, replied:

"Guilty." His counsel, in reply to his Lordship, stated that Boyle fully under-

were most extraordinary. Boyle and Sgt. Kerr were on a tralia. There was a scuffle and Boyle was hour. (produced) had gone through Kerr's use a short wave length of 18-4 countries in the world, would be

ribs and had just touched a lung. The Knife The knife was picked up directly afterwards and there was fresh blood on it. It belonged to the mess to which Boyle belonged and he would pass sentence at 2.15 p.m

When Mr. Fitzroy suggested that if he had anything to say-before the knife had been in Boyle's pos- his counsel spoke and then directed tions). If, said, Mr. Sheldon, it of the stairs. I had intended to was the Crown's intention that his use my hands." Lordship should draw the inference

evidence in support. I think it is Mr. Fitzroy's intention shilling interest on five shillings for that I should draw that inference.

Mr. Fitzroy: Yes.

Mr. Sheldon on the point later. Kerr Recovering Continuing, Mr. Fitzrey said that

Boyle turned in at about 9.15 p.m. that night. There was no evidence, he said, of a quarrel leading to a sudden affray. After the crime Boyle was seen in a fighting attitude; he was using

fifthy language to Kerr; and he said: "I've been waiting for this for months." Dealing with Kerr's condition after being landed at Colombo, Mr. Fitzroy said that he was in a very bad state. On Nov. 20 he was plac-

operated on on Jan. 9. And his condition had fluctuated since and had been very serious. He was very glad to say however, Mr. Fitzroy added, that a cable of Feb. 15 said that Kerr was recover-

ed on the dangerous list. He was

ing and that he is to be invalided Home in March. "I sincerely trust that Kerr willlive as the danger of a murder charge is not past," Mr. Fitzroy

Boyle's Statement Peterring to events on the troopship, Mr. Fitzroy said that Boyle, in cross-examination of witnesses the Magistracy, brought out that Boyle of "doing him down." Kerr owned a "housie" board and a "Crown and Anchor" board which he let out, the terms being that Kerr was to get 15 shillings in the pound on the winnings.

His Lordship then anounced that

HOLTS WHARF

2ND WILTS ON ROUTE MARCH H.E. the General Officer Commanding, Major-General J. W. Sandilands, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O.,

succeeds Major-General C. C. Luard, C.B., C.M.G., to-day in com-He was on H.M.'s troopship Scottish Borderers, has been defer- "Dorsetshire," which arrived late last night from Singapore and pro-He pleaded "guilty" at the Febru- ceeded alongside Holt's Wharf,

of the same battalion, with intent to According to present arrangemaim or disable and do grievously ments, Major-General Luard leaves Hong Kong for England on March

Crown. Det.-Inspector L. P. Lane Also on the "Dorsetshire" is the 2nd Battalion, the Wilshire Regi-Mr. H. G. Sheldon (instructed by ment, bound for Shanghai. The Japan would shortly ratify several Mr. G. S. Hugh-Jones) appeared for men in this unit went for a route new Labour Conventions—he addmarch in Kowloon this morning, ed that employers and workers in Military officers in Court were to Shamshulpo. The troopship Japan appeared ripe for collective Major R. A. Flood, M.C., M.B., leaves for Shanghai this evening. action.—Reuter. R.A.M.C., Major B. C. Lake, D.S.O., On her return, she will also con-K.O.S.B., and Captain A. G. Dobbie, vey from Hong Kong the 1st Bat-

RADIO TRIALS

LEAGUE OF NATIONS TO MOVE

SHORT WAVE MESSAGES

The Secretariat of the League of carry out a programme of econo-, stood the significance of the plea. Nations has informed the Federal mic reconstruction. Mr. Fitzroy then addressed the Radio Commission that it will con- It was impossible to feed the Court. He said that the charge was duct short wave broadcasting trials rapidly growing population of over very serious. The circumstances in March to the United States, 400,000,000 from the yield of South America. Japan, and Aus- China's own agriculture, nor could

draft on a troopship, coming out to | Speeches will be broadcast to materials. The industrialisation Hong Kong. About 1 a.m. on the America on March 12, 19, and 26 of China, therefore, was imperamorning of October 19-20, when the in English. French, and Spanish for tive. The Chinese were of opinion ship was between Aden and one hour: to Japan on March 13. in this connection that the experi-Colombo, Boyle was seen by one of 20, and 27 in Japanese for half an ence gained by scientists, technical the sentries to be crawling under a hour, and to Australia on March experts and industrialists in Ger-

> metres with power of 25 kilowatts. invaluable.—Reuter. -Reuter's American Service.

had been missed at 4.30 p.m. on Oct. on Friday. He suggested, however, that he would like to hear Boyle—

session since that time, Mr. Sheldon Mr. Sheldon to confer with Boyle. intervened. He said that Mf. Showing obvious emotion. Boyle Fitzroy's point had been made said that the crime was done in a Craigweil House, Bognor, this rather to his surprise. Mr. Fitzroy fit of anger. "I had no intention evening had referred to the evidence of Pte. of going downstairs to use a knife. Saxeby (as recorded in the deposi- I came across the knife at the top

What "Housie" Is that Boyle had the knife on his Mr. Sheldon mentioned that Boyle possession (until the time of the was, not legally represented at the crime), he (Mr. Sheldon) would Magistracy but Boyle had crosssubmit that there was not one jot of examined some of the witnesses. It had been revealed that Kerr was His Lordship (to Mr. Sheldon): a moneylender who charged one a week, and 50 per cent. from one

His Lordship said he would hear rate, Mr. Sheldon observed. There had also been a lot of gambling on That "housie" was a game like "Ludo" was an explanation volunbeered by defending counsel. Kerr let out the boards 'to others who ran games, but Kerr got the winnings and paid what he liked, some-

pay day to another - a very high

times five shillings in the pound to those who loaned the boards. "It is no part of my duty to villify Sgt. Kerr's character." "Mr. Sheldon continued. "especially as he is

not here to defend himself." "A Dog's Life" breach of discipline and also of taining the required two-thirds Army law-Mr. Sheldon submitted majority is manifestly very slender. was a fact, but he did not offer this as an excuse, although he said it got the strongest impression from

On October 17, he continued, Kerr question, but wished to use it to sent for Boyle and asked if he would make political capital.—Reuter. run the "Crown and Anchor" board. Boyle agreed. On October 18 Kerr again sent for Boyle and asked him when he was going to start. Boyle said that he had no money of Bickley, Kent, who is in France, but would start the next day, Friday says he intends to resign his living. (pay day), October 19. On the lat- because he cannot face the problem ter day Kerr asked Boyle to give of the large vicarage and grounds. at him back the board and accused

Kerr also said, Mr., Sheldon alleged: "If you have done me down, you're going to lead a dog's life." Boyle was furious and drank eight pints or more of beer that evening.

(Continued on Page 7.)

FOREIGN VIEWS **CHINA**

RACIAL PROBLEM WILL CIVIL WAR BREAK OUT

A POWERFUL PARTY

AGAIN?

Geneva, Yesterday. Interviewed on his return from the Far East M. Albert Thomas delegate of the League of Nations,

front in the Far East. He expressed the opinion that the Kuomintang gave the impression of being a powerful Party. He said that Europeans in China believed that the civil war would again break out one day in China.

Elaborating the social code that would enable the unification of labour conditions there - and

ECONOMIC RECONSTRUCTION

Help Expected From German

Experts

Berlin, Yesterday. In an address to Press men, the new Chinese Minister, Mr. Chiang Tau-pin, after referring to the friendly relations between China and Germany, declared that the Washington, Yesterday. | Chinese Government intended to

China produce sufficient raw mess table and round a hatchway. 14, 21 and 28, English for half an many which, in the eyes of the Chinese people, was one of the The League station P.C.L.L. will most highly developed industrial

AT BOGNOR HIS MAJESTY STILL GOING

"NICELY" ABLE TO GET UP

London, Yesterday. officially stated that the satisfactory day. a few hours of sunshine at Bognor this afternoon, and the King was again able to sit in a

chair at the open window to enjoy Dr. Woods came from London and applied the violet ray treatment. It is understood that members of the Royal suits are quite satisfied

SOUTH AFRICA

Wireless Service.

GENERAL SMUTS ATTACKS THE GOVERNMENT

Capetown, Yesterday. second reading at a joint sitting "converted" to Nationalism - wa of Parliament, when General Smuts moved their reference to a National Convention for the comprehensive

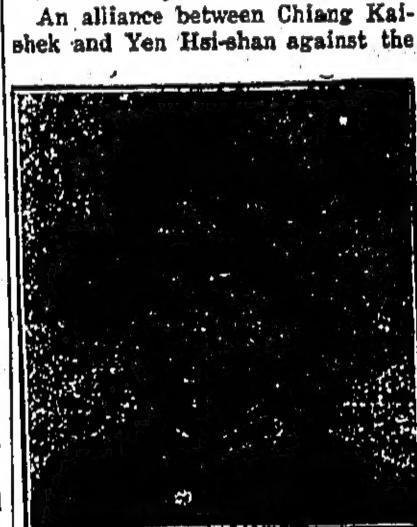
survey of the native question. The Assembly adjourned till Monday, allowing a week for debate, but as General Hertzog only obtained leave to introduce the Bills by a majority of eight in the That there had been a very gross joint sitting, the chance of ob-

General Smuts declared that he was a fact on which the crime the Government's attitude that they did not want to solve the native

The Rev. F. W. Baggallay, vicar

The Kuais Lumpur police are

Orientals.



Marshal Chiang Kai-shek

and General Yen Hsi-shan

Shansi province.

last few days.

(President & the Mate Council)

hsinng's adherents, among which

is the Vice-Minister for Foreign

Affairs (his brother-in-law) have

left Nanking hurriedly during the

General Yen Hsi-shan with the King's progress .- British "Ohristian General" was not ex-General" against other Nationalist

The Native Bills reached their along — even when he became



pected, says the "China Mail" political correspondent. If there has been any secret understanding it would have been between Chiang Kai-shek and ... the "Christian

General Yen Hsi-shan's desire al

The Christian General? taking over is Shartung. You Hal- of the Kuomintang. Reuter.

towards a national with a aground in the West River near the responsibility for the enforce- ing of shareholders in the China

Royal Naval communique The "Moth" was moved from her tes:

A strained military situation original position to get out of the A strained military situation original position prevailing, which A strained minuary situation strong current prevailing, which penalty for violation of the Pro- Croucher (Directors), D. L. King nas arisen in the south of prevented the setting of collision hibition law at five years' impri- (Manager and Secretary), and the Honan province: It is probably mats (of rope) in the required sonment or a fine of \$10,000.

"Pussyfoot" Johnson for scornfully referred to the activities Mancini and Lo Kai-hong. L.M.S. "Moth" is of 645 tons and sisted that the Constitution must the auditors' report, the Chairman's She be respected. He cited his own review was presented as follows:-

"MR. TELEVOX"

the coal industry.

The frost has not only increas- ventions was demonstrated at the securities to the extent of \$255,095, ed the demand for coal, but has air port when, in response to a and on property to the extent of locked up some of the keenest com- siren from an approaching aero- \$40,000, resulting in an important petitors with Britain owing to the plane, the landing ground was au- surplus over the Specific Reserves freezion of the Polish and Baltic tomatically flooded with light from provided which has been transferred

Germany.—Reuter.

Prague, Yesterday.

in the vicinity of Tsining.

the Tientsin-Pukow Railway.

there are persistent rumours that General Feng Yu-halang has left Nanking, the feeling is strong that a combination has been formed against him which will not alhe should enter Shantung after British Wireless Service. the Japanese evacuation and clear

reports that Yu Yu-jen may be- 1905.-Reuter. come President of the Executive

Washington, Yesterday.

Hoover, who has just returned here from Florida, will devote all his FIRE INSURANCE COMMISSION energies to the enforcement of Prohibition and intends to remove surprise alliance against the "Chris- Wuchow, was refloated yesterday, partment of Justice, headed by the Ltd., was held at the registered Mr. Borah engaged in a stirring

After Senator Reed had most L. E. Guterres, O. Kitchell, C.

carries two 6-inch and one 3-inch State of Idaho as a model law-abiding community.

> tions in Idaho as "shocking." tives.-Reuter's American Service.

> > AEROPLANE

Newark (New Jersey), Yesterday.

ground staff. ed from various directions and al. perty-to liquidate the sums tied up titudes by the air plot.

The experiment was carried out by means of a sound sensitive device, which is a vital portion of were few. As the result of the cold wave the internal mechanism of "Mr. the mortality during the first half Televox," the famous mechanical of February was double the nor- Robot manufactured by the West-

S4 EXPERIMENTS

passage in the R.N. communique vice, and escaped successfully from the S4 at a depth of 120 feet.

passed by the Nanking district Hollenden, a director of John and over \$141,000 to certain Specific Re-Kuomintang inviting Mr. Wang Richard Morley, warehousemen. He serves, and shareholders will be Ching-wel to attend the third Kuo- was also a director of the Bank of glad to know that the anticipation mintang conference, together with England and Governor from 1908 to of the Board of this amount not

Lampur Museum. Parings from a He may delike or view with alarm Tan Yen-kai, suggests that the Cappleside, Settle, Yorkshire, has even after providing further addirhino's horn are looked upon as any extension of the Christian Radicals are strengthening their become engaged to Mr. W. W. tional reserves on loans, the Gen-

AIR MAIL THOUSANDS OF LETTERS BE

has been stolen from the Knala balance of power in North China. Yuan in succession to General Mas Elizabeth Geldard, "obat" of special wirtue by certain General's" acope, for instance, in posicion vis-a-wis the Central party Vaughan, headmaster of Rugby tric Department which increased its

FAIR PAYMENT FOR SERVICES

RENDERED

ing the salary attached to the posi-

tion. There are three matters to con-

sider. A fair payment for services

rendered, the need for continuing to

attract the best men to the highest

offices in the State, and the effect

upon the State of opinion elsewhere.

Underpayment cannot be fair, and in

the end it may be much more costly.

graph" says that the response to the

(£7,000,000 issue at £98) was poor

ed, was not flattering to the credit of

the Dominion. The time has surely

arrived, he said, when Australia's fin-

ancial advisers should review the posi-

tion. The underwriters were left with

ed out that as control was in the

course the stock would doubtless be

87 per cent. of the July stock, and 84 Barbel per cent. of the March stock. This

The reluctance of the city to take up Canton Fresh

the stock at the time of the issue Water Fish.

Commonwealth 5% per cent.

The City Editor of the "Daily Tele- Sucking Pigs, to order FL

and though no worse than was fear- Veal

was not a reputation to cultivate. Bream

was too high, or else there was an Carp

impression, which certainly prevailed, Catfish

that Australia borrowed too heavily Codfish and too regularly. It might be point-

hands of a central authority, and sink- Cuttle Fish

contention might be unfounded, but Dace 英尾

rest from heavy borrowing would Eels, Conger

probably be the best remedy. In the Fresh Water ... 决水

Post' states: The result of the Commonwealth loan is doubtless a reflection, to some extent, of the effects
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ing fund arrangements existed, the Dab

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Two points of interest in the annual Two points of proval of schemes of arrangement in the corresponding half of 1927. The relative importance of the spin- . The worst position in the public which the electrical firm is to build ning companies is to be seen in the accounts is shown by the railways, near the Emscher pumping station. figures given. Their liabilities, includ- In that department the receipts have The removal of the mud from the ing paid-up capital, loan money, de- decreased by £14,106, while at the River Emscher is in any case necesbentures, and mortgages, amounted to same time the expenditure has risen sary owing to navigation, so that the and their assets to to the extent of £11,097. In the other 19 cases the A more pleasing position is disclos- respect.

> In the number of failures there was expenditure by £4,641, and its revenue little sign of improvement. The by £20,550. figure was actually 11 above that of OFFICIAL SALARIES the preceding year, but 21 below that of the average of the last six years. Trustees were appointed in 65 of the cases and the remainder were left in the hands of the Official Receivers for administration. The trades chiefly affected included-shopkeepers 85, coal ing-street to merchants and farmers 11 each, painters 13, shippers and yarn agents 10, Fleet-street," published in and publicans and builders six each. "National Review," it is written: "We Ninety of the bankrupts were not in | shall be fortunate indeed if, within the trade. In five cases a dividend of 20s. next 50 years, the underpayment of in the 2 was paid; in three cases pro- servants of the State does not prove Beef secutions followed the bankruptcy pro- a thing much more costly than would ceedings. The deeds of arrangement have been the raising of salaries to numbered 186, and the bills of sale a point which might have safeguardregistered in all the courts numbered ed the 'domestic concerns' of some

New Statutory Provisions

The chief provision of the Money Lenders Act, 1927, which came into Current Accounts opened and Fixed operation on the first day of last year, Deposits received for 1 year or short- is-so far as bankruptcy is concerned er periods at rates which will be quot- and as interpreted by a recent case ed on application. tion in bankruptcy must reduce his Manager, claim by an allocation of the payments made on account pro rata to the ed. Then it will be noted that the amount actually lent and the agreed interest thereon, which may have the effect of considrably reducing his claim. This provision applies even if the loan were made before the commencement of the Act. This provision has been in operation for many years for dividend purposes in actual bankruptcles.

The Agricultural Credits Act, 1928, which came into force on October last, provides for the creation of charges as security for loan advances of live stock, poultry, or bees, and the growers of fruit, vegetables, etc. The charge may include the value of FORMOSA:-Giran, Kagi, Karenko, the tenant right. The charges must Keelung, Makong, Nanto, Shin- be registered and searches may be chiku, Taichu, Tainan, Takao, made, but there is a strict provision with penalties, against publicity. relates to bankruptcy, is that these Socrabays, Semarang, Batavis, of a debtor's assets under the reput-Bombay, Calcutta, London, New ed ownership clause of the Act unless the charges was given for a past debt within three months of the filling of

The Companies Act, 1928, will not come generally into operation at pre-Correspondents in the Commercial sent, though Section 92, dealing with Roropean Continent, Rossis, Man-Japan, Indo-Chine, Biam, India, restrictions on the offering of shares Africa, U.S.A., Australia, from house to house, came into operation on the passing of the Act on August 8. It is understood that the rest of the Act will not come into operation until a bill- for the consolidation of the Company Law has been passed, probably this year.

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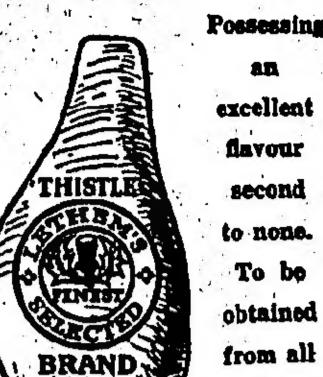
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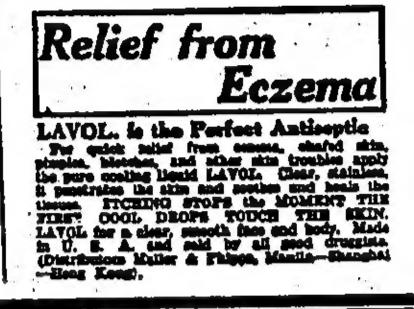
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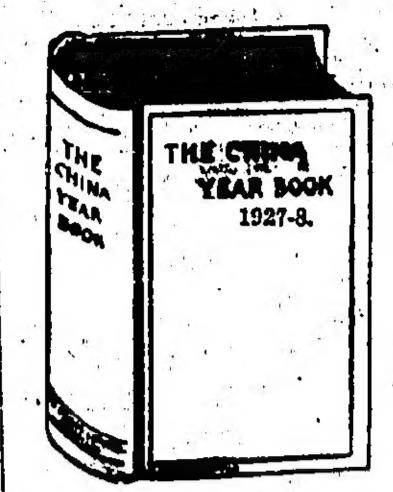
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Dated this 30th day of January,

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HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

that the ORDINARY YEAR-Lighted Godown, 151, Praya East. The Government does not bind LY MEETING of the Shareholders Apply:-Gande, Price & Co., Ltd. itself to accept the highest or any in this Corporation will be held at City Hall, Hong Kong, on HAROLD TO CREASY, SATURDAY, the 23rd February, Director of Public Works. 1929, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1928.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from Monday, whe 11th February to SATURDAY, the 23rd February, 1929, (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors. A. C. HYNES,

Chief Manager. Hong Kong, 4th Feb., 1929.

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> By Order, C. R. BROWN,

NOTICES.

THE HONG KONG & SHANGHAI

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AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that a further extraordinary meeting of the shareholders of the Corporation will be held on SATURDAY, the 23rd day of February, 1929, at 12.45 in the FIHE FORTY-SECOND ORDIN-

Dated this 8th day of February. By Order of the Directors,

A. C. HYNES,

Chief Manager. Note:-A copy of the proposed 1929, BOTH DAYS INCLUSIVE. New Ordinance can be seen during the usual banking hours (Sundays, Public and Bank Holidays excepted) in Hong Kong at the Head Office of the Corporation or at the offices; of " Messrs. Johnson Stokes & Master, Prince's Buildings, Solicitors to the said Corporation, and. in Shanghai at the Office of the Corporation,

from the date hereof until

the date of the above men-

tioned confirmatory meeting.

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

THE NINTH ANNUAL GEN-ERAL MEETING of the KOW-LOON RESIDENTS' ASSOCIA-TION will be held in the St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon, on THURSDAY, the 28th February, 1929, at 6 p.m.

BUSINESS: Adoption of Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1928.

Election of Officers and Committee. . Any other business.

It is earnestly requested that hereby requested and authorised members and all others interested by and on behalf of the share- in the welfare of Kowloon will holders of the Corporation to make an endeavour to be present

C. M. MANNERS, Hon. Secretary. Hong Kong, 20th Feb., 1929.

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THE COLLEGE will RE-OPEN at 9 a.m. on MONDAY, Februpurposes of identification, has ary 25. There will be an Entrance Examination for New Boys (Boarders and Day-boys) at 9.30 a.m. on SATURDAY, February 23, at Prospect Place, Bonham Road. Hong Kong, Feb. 16, 1929.

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afternoon at the same place for ARY ANNUAL MEETING OF the purpose of receiving a report SHAREHOLDERS will be held at of the above mentioned meeting the Office of Messrs. Jardine, and of considering, and, if thought Matheson & Co., Ltd., on fit, confirming the above resolution | THURSDAY, the 7th March, 1929, accordance with Article 96 of AT NOON, for the purpose of the Corporation's Deed of Settle- receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1928.

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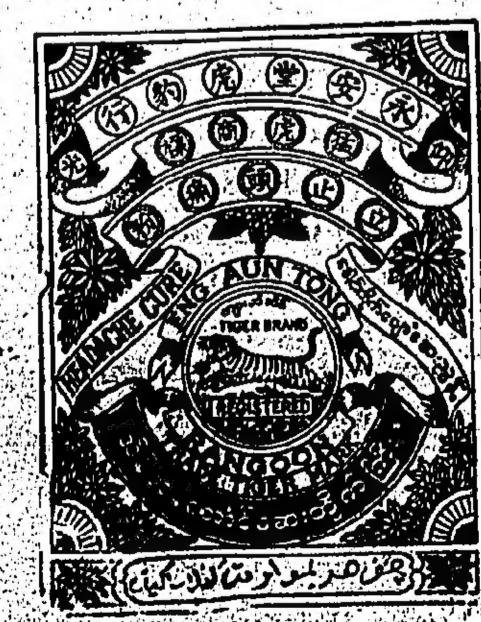
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& MOMBASA-Via Singapore & Colombo. PANAMA MARU Thursday, 28th February. CALCUTTA-Vin Singapore, Penang & Rangoon. *GANGES MARU Monday, 4th March. CELEBES MARU Monday, 18th March.

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FATE OF LIVERPOOL

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that the other fourteen men have been

placed under arrest and charged with

murder. Putting two and two to-

gether, and from all we can gather,

it would appear that the engineer's

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of the work represents valuable busiess, such as the contract for a 40,000

results continue to be satisfactory, the

vessel will be before long dependent entirely on this method of firing.

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TOO MANY PASSENGERS ON STEAM LAUNCH

he found there were 258. Before the country to moumein.

"We got news of the tragedy on just decided to expend a further count the Sergeant was given to under the country that there there were 258. Before the Christmas Eve," said Miss Pinning- on his report the Council have the country that there were 258. Before the council have country the country of the country derstand that there were only 140 on board. About 70 of the excess passengers, the Sergeant found, had been accommodated in the hold of the missing and that the engineer were proposed as for the engineer were accommodated in the hold of the missing and that the engineer were proposed as for the engineer were accommodated in the hold of the missing and that the engineer were excessed as the engineer were excessed as the engineer were excessed. accommodated in the hold of the

launch. The alternative for the fine was one month's hard labour.

FIRING OF BOILERS

"LANCASHIRE" VERSUS "SCOTCH"

faithful little servant has told the September issue of the "Journal" of the Fuel Institute of Japan, under the editorship of Pro-Imperial Fuel Research Institute at Saltamia-Kawakuchi, contains a highly interesting contribution by Kioyshi Shiga and Izo Takase. This gives in skins was to scuttle the ship, and great detail the results of investigations. Finished the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures as to ship, and the results of investigation and interesting figures are the only ship and the results of the results fessor Y. Oshima, principal of the shire boilers by means of pulverised coal, the problems being, of course, almost identical as regards the operation of "Scotch" boilers. According to the of "Scotch" boilers. According to the by the rescue ship? I think they authors, about 65.70 per cent. of all the steam bollers in Japan are of the cylinguing to the cylinguing to the steam bollers in Japan are of the cylinguing to the steam bollers in Japan are of the cylinguing to the steam bollers in Japan are of the cylinguing to the steam bollers in Japan are of the cylinguing to the state. drical type, of which the "Cornish," with one furnace tube only, comes the "Lancashire" being next order, although there is a very large number of water-tube boilers stations and large industrial establishments. The general conclusion reached to India to trade, round the coast. is that under present conditions pulverised coal firing with internal flued cylindrical boilers, such as the "Lan-cashire" type, is difficult to operate even at moderate rating, largely because there is not sufficient heating surface to absorb the radiant heat at an efficient speed, while a serious defect is the melting of the ash, unless extremely complicated and expensive apparatus is adopted; for example, water liners be taking the place of ocean composed of units which rivalled in cooled steel tubes in series with the steamers? Will the worry caused by every respect the most advanced vesthe ample combustion space. Even, journeys? There is a chance, at least, however, if the ash is prevented from that travel will be made easier and melting, troubles are caused by large safer, judging by the performance of deposits of the fine material, and al- Dr. Hugo Eckner's great "Graf though the paper in question does not Zeppelin." Its first trans-Atlantic mention this fact, another disadvan- voyage in Qctober, proved that the particularly from the marine giant ship is as far shead of aeroplanes point of view, is the amount of very for trans-oceanic service as the "Leviafine ash apt to be blown out of the top | than" is ahead of Christopher Columof the funnel. It seems to be the opin- bus' "Pinta Nina," and "Santa Maria." ion that in spite of all these troubles, A Zeppelin that can go as far as this pulverised fuel firing has advantages one did, through storm and rain, is acfor the internal-flued cylindrical boiler complishing a feat worthy of notice. for intermittent operation and for tak- The fact that this voyage was no mere ing peak load demands. During the ex- prize competition or "scientific" ex- wealthy Americans. periments carried out there was used, ploration also makes it stand out in The yacht is under Commander W. P. in addition to bituminous coal, a cer- strong relief from other less fruitless Holman and has voyaged through the tain amount of low temperature car- ventures. bonisation fuel produced by the experi-

A COLLISION

NEW P. AND O. YESSEL INVOLVED

When the steamer "Corinaldo," inward bound from St. John (N.B.) entered the port of Glasgow on Janu-ary 8, she collided with the new P. and O. steamer "Viceroy of India," lying at the Shieldhall Wharf. So far as can be ascertained the "Viceroy of India" received damage to four plates above water. The "Corinaldo" had the top rails and sheer strake plate on the starboard bow bent, and was berthed at the Prince's Dock.

The Blue Funnel Line announces that it has established a new service from Swansen to Java ports for gen- 1928. This change for the better beeral cargo. For the present, a steamer will leave once a month which, close of the old year, and it is pointed should shipments warrant it will be out that shipowners, no doubt heartenincreased to a fortnightly service. ed by improved trade prospects, came The first vessel scheduled for the new service is the "Eurybates," which will leave Swansea for the Dutch East

DEFENCE WORK IN WEST SOMERSET

This part of the West Somerset

gers permitted by the licence was 156, Avenue, Algburth. Capt. Pinning-County Council recently reported that but when Sergeant Wright of the ton's tug foundered while going from further erosion was taking place.

been found, and then to-day we hear proved highly useful.

INTERESTING WAR

"I have a strong feeling that there was a mutiny on the boat, and that Marine, in his recent speech to the my brother and Mr. Phillips, who

Capt. Pinnington was much res. than Great Britain. nected in Liverpool shipping circles. On the other hand, in new build-His service, as a youngster, with the ing from 1914 to 1922, France comes Navy during the war, coupled with last. She had only built 28,000 tons his career since, indicated a splendid whilst Italy had built 69,000, Japan, in operation in Japan, both in power future. He was only thirty-five years 465,000. United States 870,000 and of are and three years ago went out Great Britain 1,170,000. She was unable, he said, like other Powers, to replace vessels lost or worn out during the war, because her arsenals used all their resources to manufacture war

> Power whose naval budget was less than in 1914. But since 1920 the reconstitution of the fleet had proceeded methodically, and was now strict-In 1950, will trans-occanic Zeppelin ly adapted to their needs. It was

> > AMERICAN YACHT VISITS

An interesting arrival in port on Feb. was the splendid steam yacht Iolanda," owned by Mrs. E. B. Taylor, of America, the sole heiress to the Taylor millions, who is accompanied on a tour of the world by a party of

The "Graf's" voyage might be called before arriving at Singapore. a "business trip" because those who Mrs. Taylor and her guests left New-

ENCROACHING SEA

The Somerset County Council have at Blue Anchor, near Minchead, for several years been waging an unceas-ing fight against the encroachment of the sea, and have spent large sums in defending the mile or so of foreshore at this spot.

coast is exposed to the full force of the winter gales, and as there are At the Marine Court yesterday, Some light was thrown on the myslis probably one of the most expensive tery of the death of Capt. W. T. imposed a fine of \$102 on the cox. Pinnington, of the tugbont "Ngatsein," piece of country coastline in existimposed a fine of \$102 on the coxswain of the steam launch "Keng
Fat" for carrying 102 passengers in
excess of the number allowed by his
licence.

The maximum number of passengers permitted by the licence was 156,
but when Sergeant Wright of the

missing, and that the crew of fourteen erosion was gradually nearing the missing, and that the crew of fourteen patives were rescued. My brother and Mr. Phillips were reported to have been seen in lifebelts, but that is the last word of them. The next news was that the native boy had been found as a solid wall at considerably greater expense. The present sea wall is concreted revetment, and has proved highly useful.

NAVAL LOSSES

FIGURES .

M. Georges Leygues, Minister of

material for the allied armies. France, he said, was the only great

"IOLANDA"

SINGAPORE

Mediterranean and touched at Colombo

making passengers and shippers pay and will then proceed via Colombo and was that in order to equalise the tons gross, have already been completthe bill, air travel will be on a sounder the Cape to Newport. "lolanda" visited this part of the world vessels should be handed over to them, four years ago when she was charter- two 20,000-ton liners of the "Ballin" orders for a 40,000 ton liner for the

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Japanese Imperial Fuel Research In- sent mail and merchandise, or who came port, Rhode Island and crossed over in part of a year, it has now been anas passengers, helped to defray ex- the "Iolanda" to Southampton, from nounced that all prospect of an assopenses. Most of the G\$90,000 cost of where they embarked on an extensive ciation of interests between the Hamthe trip, however, was paid by a Press cruise in the Mediterranean. From burg-America Line "Norddeutscher chau Yards, at Danzig, on December association seeking live news. News- there they commenced their Eastern Lloyd has been abandoned. The chief 11, the motor vessel "Sauerland," the papers can not be expected to pay for tour, arriving at Singapore via Suez, stumbling-block all along has been the fourth of five sister vessels which are such trips if they become more fre- Colombo and Trincomalce and then on problem presented by the 46,000-ton being built for the Far Eastern trade quent because the news element will through the East Indies before return- liners "Europa" and Bremen," which of the Hamburg Amerika Linie. The then be gone. If business men can ing to Singapore. They will then make are now being built for the N.D.L. first three, the "Duisberg," "Lever-finance a permanent Zeppelin service, their way to Penang and Trincomalee The proposition of the H.A.P.A.G. kusen and "Burgenland," all of 7,300

It is interesting to note that the North Atlantic, one of these luxury ed by the late Mr. T. Taylor, husband class being offered in exchange. "Bre- China connection and another for the The owner's guests are Mrs. J. L. the home port of both the new ships, its fleets by the order placed on the Harriman, Miss J. Tiffany, Mr. and and a further inducement was that Clyde, for two passenger steamers, Mrs. W. Greenough, Mr. L. R. Cot-the risk of the experiment of putting 365 feet in length, for the night ser-tanet, Dr. J. E. Mitchell, Miss G. vessels of this type in the service vice between Victoria and Vancouver would be shared.

The Norddeutscher Lloyd, however, not see their way to agree to this plan, while another cause of the breakdown of the negotiations was the intense rivalry between the ports of Hamburg and Bremen.

The C.P.R. which recently placed men," it was suggested, should still be Atlantic trade, is further extending

ton passenger liner for the Canadian Pacific Railway. "The revival of interest in new con-THE TAKEN DOWN ARD. struction which started towards the end of 1928," it is stated, "has altered very materially the shipping outlook for: 1929, provided, of course, subsequent months do not provide a further collapse such as occurred last year. Certainly 1929 opens with at least as great possibilities as did 1928, and with a great deal more promise than appeared likely last autumn." In a further article attention is called to the experiments on puverised fuel. It is stated that the experiments on board the "Mercer" proved so satisfactory, that a single-ended boiler was fit ted to the "Stuartstar" for burning powdered coal. More recently a second double-ended boiler has been fitted up for burning pulverised fuel, and if the —DRY DOCK—

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MALWA.	10,986	1st Mar.	Shanghai, Moji, K	obe & . Yokohama
*NAGPORE	5,283	4th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji, K.	obe & Yokohama.
ST ALBANS	4,500	5th Mar.	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	& Yokohama.
KHYBER	9,114	8th Mar.	Shanghai.	1
*GAMBADA	5,307	9th Mar.	Shanghai, Moji, K	ohe & Osaka.
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Shanghai and Seattle on February Lt.-Col and Mrs. H. L. Harnett, Baron and Baroness . Fould de Springer, Miss Fould Springer, Mile. Perdus, Mr. and Mrs. Shum Wai-cho, Mr. W. Bader, Mr. and Mrs. G. Rust, Messrs. S. C. Lewis, Ho Fook, Tam Yat-fung, Wong Yatfung, Wong Yik-man, Ho Liu-harp, J. R. Hopkins, and W. A. Hogarth, Mrs. Young Haw Rung-ying, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kuk-chi and son Messrs. Chau King-chuen, M. C Chan and S. K. Ting, Miss E. Desroches, Messrs, C. M., Wentworth, C. Wan Chen, Jack Siu, Chenlott C. Wu, H. Y. Moh, Hubert MacGowan, ? Yeh Yuk-tong, Jones, S. V. Gash, R. G. Herbert, L. F. Stokes, A. C. Sinclair, A. Turner THE Steamship. and F. Favacho, Capt. H. G. Reed, Mrs. H. A. Atkinson, Messrs. C. S. Sum, E. Gensburger and Macbarker, Mrs. Nellie Crim, Messrs. Herbert P. Crane and George G. Eddy, Miss Ruth Garrett, Mrs. H. M Horron, Mrs. Helen H. Ihrig, Messrs. Gordon Pao Kwa-lum and Peter Moore, Mrs. H. Cho Ming, Mr. Paul O Myhus, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mackinlay, Messrs. L. B. Stiles, Y. the goods have left the godowns, Russia" arrived at Shanghai on T. Chan, Cheung Yuk-sum, Wong to Mee-ying, Lai Pak-ming and Poon Chung-mo Mrs. J. N. Pelly, Mrs. Cheung Wai-yiu, and two sons, Mr. Lo Cheok-wan, Mr. C. O. Chan, Miss N. Polnhof, Messrs. Hans Lostje, Siu Fat-sing, Siu Chung-ken; Lion Yu, Miss. K. Siu, Miss W. F. ed. Siu, Messrs. Y. F. Koo, T. C. Yang Messrs. M. Goodman, E. David, T. on W. R. Wilson, F. V. Read, W. E. Paimer, J. W. Pote-Hunt, J. Duffy. Douglas.

Wright, Messrs. F. N. Kwong, Chan | effected. |Seng-hang, F. Elias and George | Norman, Judge Milton D. Purdy, signed by the set of the war of the Mr. and Mrs. Thos. L. Sinclair and GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO., LTD., sident Jackson," which sailed son, Mrs. Annie Liu Sung, Mr. Sung Yen-yuen, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Torcat, Miss Dorothy Thrift, Mr. Mori Ugo, Mr. George Mackay, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Belsjoe, Roger L. Bracken, Mr. Mrs. I. Fletcher, Miss E. M. J. S. Mori, Mrs. Hana Mori, Messrs. D. A. D. Wall, Miss A. Wall, R. Onrubia, T. P. Gallaher and T. R. Menkiwetz, Sister Mary Michael, Mr. B. H. Miles.

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Agents. Hong Kong, 14th Feb., 1929.

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The C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of Consignees of Cargo are hereby yesterday at 7 a.m., left Woosung informed that all Goods are being to-day at 4 a.m., and is due at landed at their risk into the hazar- Chinwangtao to-morrow at mid-

No claims will be admitted after | The C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of and all goods remaining undeliver- Monday at 8 a.m., left Shanghai Hong Kong to-morrow at 5 p.m. All claims against the steamer She leaves for Manila on Friday

"President, Adams," sails from All broken, chafed, and damaged Shanghai to-day and will arrive the 20th inst. at 10 trip Round-the-world on Sunday,

No Fire Insurance has been left Singapore for this port on Sunday at 8 a.m., and is due here

The American Mail Liner "Prefrom San Francisco on February left Honolulu on the 7th inst., on schedule, and is due to arrive here, via Japan and Shanghai, on Mon-

The M.V. "Viminale" sailed from

Francisco via ports on February Asia" left Vancouver for Hong hai, on February 16, and is due Young, H. G. Reed, C. J. Lowe, York here on March 7. She will sail Mrs. C. N. Whitehead, Mrs. N. A., F. Wong, A. R. Gallimore, K. Lau, for Manila at 5 p.m. on March 8.

East Asiatic Co., Ltd.), left Anwerp on Feb. 5, and is due here on or about March 25.

hommannes call

The motor vessel "Japanese Prince" from New York sailed from Shanghai on Monday morning, and is expected to arrived here

Australia" arrived at Woosung

The B.I. s.s. "Talma" left Singa-Friday morning.

day, Feb. 25.

at this port on March 1.

or about Mar. 14. The M.V. "Formosa" (Swedish

The Ben Line s.s. "Benvannoch" from Middlesbro', Dunkirk, Straits and Philippines is due to arrive here to-morrow.

February 9 and is due to arrive The C.P.S. R.M.S. "Empress of

Kong, via Japan ports and Shang-'The M.V. "Sumatra" (Swedish Y. East Asiatic Co., Ltd.), left Hamburg on Feb. 2, and is due here on

Projected arrivals at and depar- March 17. ers under the management of the York via Suez, March 25.

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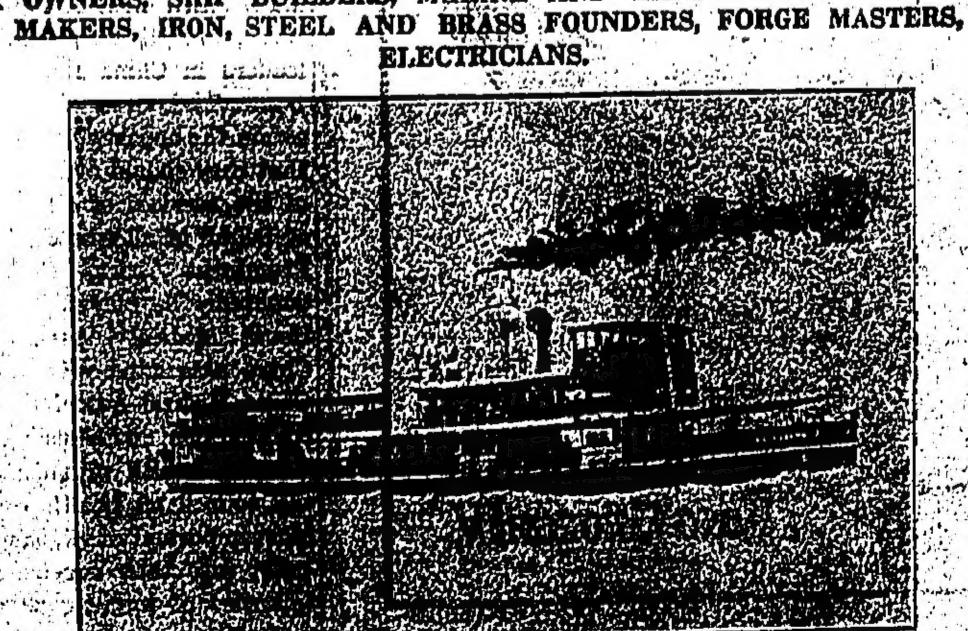
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DEATH

CHMIDT .- On February 9, in Shanghai, Florence D. Schmidt, aged 28.

Hong Kong, Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1929.

THE PRESS AND HEALTH

was not ours, but emanated from Dr. Arthur Woo at the confer-

ciation in Shanghai. of the services of all who know, their Chinese branches here. Most important of all, they should "booming" those same marvels of enlist into their service as missionaries of hygiene all doctors, pharmacists, nurses, midwives, pharmacists, nurses, midwives, ambulance men and sanitary in would be little known but for the precious and other volunteers. Press in spite of that fatal "If."

A lady s wold neck chain was picked, up on the State ferry without the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who, in the press, if they could and kolders, who in the press, if they could an an analysis of the press, if they could an an analysis of the press, if they could an an analysis of the press, if they could an an analysis of the press, if they could an an analysis of the press, if they could an an analysis of the press, if they could an an analysis of the press, if they c

has done a great deal to create an enlightened public opinion. is fortunate, too, that modern science has placed at their disposal the marvels of the cinemagraphic film and wireless broadcasting.

We can hardly understand the learned doctor's use of that little word 'If"-if they could invoke the aid of the Press to serve them and ignorance. It may be that his is referring only to the vernacular Press of China; but, even ing in any degree in its support of the movement: for better and more improved public health, a remedy can easily be found. Chinese Editors, no less than should be found, generally respectively. speaking, to welcome news and

In this Colony, the vernacular A week ago occasion was taken assist what Dr. Woo so aptly Mrs. B. C. Guy. Mrs. F. A. is outrageous, particularly on to comment in this column on the terms . "the missionaries of Mackintosh, Mrs. J. H. Dobbie, such an occasion. The Peak Tram "lamentable apathy and ignor- hygiene" in their humanitarian Dixon, Mr. D. Lyon, Mr. Eric though they have a monopoly in duction: Mr. C. Peake Anderson, ance" throughout China in regard work. So far as the foreign Grimble, Mrs. H. R. B. Hancock, their railway, they also have a Mr. L. E. Lammert, M. H. E. to public health and all that that Press alone is concerned there Miss Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. P. duty to those who support it. term implies. The condemnation has been no local topic that has received more attention than public health. Day in and day ence of the China Medical Asso- out; year, in and year out, is In the course of the same ad- the foreign newspapers on this police yesterday alleged that his dress Dr. Woo lays down what or that phase of public health, accountant named Lee Cheung steps should be taken to combat. And still members of newspaper that appalling apathy and ignor- staffs are mere laymen as regards he had collected in behalf of the ance, which must be regretted by medical science, and that fact foreigners no less than by the alone compels them to rely for leaders in China itself. He re- purely technical information on commended, even in order "to public bodies such as the China the Star Theatre will, as from few hours, a new Drum-Major. Sarrault and the ladies shoes by attain the apparently impossible, Medical Association and the Brithat they should avail themselves tish Medical Association, and

on behalf of all who do not know. The true campaigner knows, cross the harbour. Other per- the beauty chorus in "Tip Toes" "Hermes," conducted by Mr. F. J. Prominent parts should un- from personal experience, the doubtedly be played by the National Medical Association of China associated with their own
China Medical Association and in
China co-operation with such present natural, mouthpiece of public Saturday, and Folies Bergere" afternoon on the cricket ground, not only in the interests of the existing health organisations as opinion, is even ready to do all on Sunday. Prices of admission that is required of it, even to Most important of all, they should be same marvels of the ninth annual general meet.

Saturday, and colles bergers will be repeated to sakes. The action of the play will be \$8.42 and \$1.

The scene is laid at Palm Beach, commences immediately on the rise of the first curtain and late repeated to sakes. The action of the play will be \$8.42 and \$1.

The ninth annual general meet. Florida, where Edgar Stanmore will find it very difficult to commence will be a supplied to comme

thousand years, all through the colonist Secretarist, was operated upon sood by force. Socrates being successful. speaking disrespectfully of the A British passport in the name gods and poliuting the mind of the youth of Athens. During ten tery-path last week. It is now in the custody of the police at ed since then, the race lost the Headquarters. capacity to think through the success successful combination of the priest and soldier. These men blocked human evolution. The penalty for making slaves is that you become one. "To suppress the priest of the prie humanity is to suppress your- China Station. self."-Elbert Hubbard.

has kindly indicated his intention of presiding at the Institution of Friday, March 8, at 5.30 p.m., of enteric fever (Chinese) was ingly dealt with—so-called "comthe Tropics, the Possibility of also reported yesterday.

Manufactured Weather will be delivered by Professor C. A. Middleton Smith, M.Sc. (Past President). All interested in the subject will be heartily welcome. but, as the accommodation is limited, admission will be by ticket obtainable on application to the Hon. Secretary at the Institu-

Whilst on a voyage from Cheung Chau to Hong Kong at necessary to request—as they do players when the result is, as about 3.15 a.m., yesterday, the -that their audiences should be ferry launch "Morning Star" col- punctual in occupying their seats, satisfactory. lided with the stern of a fishing they too should show similar crashed through the wheel-house did not go up until close upon believe they know one another on the upper deck of the ferry, 9.80, though the play was timed very well results in them realising smashing one side and damaging to start at 9.15. That annoyance devastatingly that they knew one the bulwark and the wooden and the rather long intervals be another not at all. Chaos, of structure supporting the awning tween the acts was largely the course, follows -- a chaos that The coxswain was knocked over cause of many losing the last brings about a rather undramatic and slightly injured. The ferry Peak tram and being stranded and unsatisfactory ending. was not disabled, however, and at the Lower Station, as continued her journey to Hong the Peak Tramway Co. manage-Kong, arriving here at 4.30 a.m.

Yesterday afternoon Major C. connection with the Share guage was used to express the bly well throughout the whole are Chan Fook, alias Chan Saunam, and Pun Pui, alias Pun Wainam, who are jointly charged way Co., Ltd. with the possession and uttering to be for 500 shares of the Hong present. Why should they expect well versed in matters histrionic. in their campaign against apathy Kong Tramway Co., valued at

Fifty-four Chinese merchants of Hong Kong—including the elite so, surely where it is found lack- of the local Chinese communityand one vernacular Press correspondent left for Canton last night to attend the official "greetings" luncheon given in the Canton Government building to-day by Marshal Li Chai-sum and General Chen Min-chu, Commander-inthose on foreign newspapers, Chief and Provincial Governor,

contributed articles relating to the police yesterday by Mrs. (which as everybody knows was at times, refreshingly sparkling. public health problems. Has the Coote, living at the Glenealy the first night of a new A.D.C. His fransition from thinking he China Medical Association taken Hotel, jewellery to the value of show)—there was neither a late understood the fascinating widow \$3,869, was stolen from her room: nor a special car available, des- to the realisation of the fact care in the past to ensure that it The valuables were taken from a pite the fact that quite a large that he had been far from doing acts as the most natural feeder red morocco box which was kept number of season-ticket holders so, was cleverly performed. possible to the vernacular Press in an unlocked drawer in the arrived at the Lower Station just The play is most admirably, in disseminating information and room. Mrs. Coote did not distoo late to get off with the 12.05 adequately and beautifully prohints for the benefit of the yesterday morning, and imme-announced that no trams would be We very heartily recommend diately informed the police.

Mrs. M. M. Dutton, Mr. P. A. management should realise that lowing for assistance in the pro-Drummond, Mr. L. G. S. Dodwell and Mr. F. J. Abbott.

Hun Ka, manager of the Yee On cigarette agent of the Nanyang Bros. Tobacco Co., No. 8, public attention focussed by Cross-street, in a report to the (34) absconded on February 15, taking with him \$4,114.81 which

> the first evening performance at the second time in the space of a ladies' dresses are by Rolande to-day, commence daily at 5,80 He was Frank Atkinson, the irre- Royal and Co., D'Aguilar-street. p.m. instead of 5.15. The change pressible, of the Banvard Musical By permission of Captain G. has been made in order that office Comedy Co. Hopwood, C.B.E., R.N., and offipeople may have ample time to Placing himself at the head of cers, the band of H.M.S. formances as usual (from the Winter Garden Thea- Compton, R.M.B., plays during tre, London) at the Star Theatre, the performance.

OUR A.D.C.

Sir,-I believe that you will heartily agree with me when say that, if the A.D.C. find it says much for both author and junk. The stern post of the junk courtesy. Last night the curtain "in Scotland" by those people who ment, true to their usual unenterprising policy — (to call it by no ticularly able. They really "lookharsher name) -did not see fit to ed" their respective parts. As Willson, O.B.E., committed for provide either late or special Maria Wislack, the very indepentrial; at the next Criminal Ses- trams last night. Very properly dent and charming middle-aged sions, the two Chinese charged in some rather caustic and lurid lan- widow, Eva Davidson acted super-Sensation" case. The accused feelings of the victims - (mostly play. Lucy Greensmith, who as

> their audiences to be punctual when they themselves show quite a lot of dilatoriness?

Yours faithfully, PLAY-GOER. Hong Kong, Feb. 20. ... THE PEAK TRAM

[To the Editor of the "China Mall."] Sir,—It is positively disgrace- therefore we find this versatile ticket holders especially and the for any amateur. public generally with such a lack As Richard Halton, B. L. Seton-According to a report made to of consideration. Last night- Winton was very successful and. cover her loss until 11 o'clock tram. True, the management had duced by Mrs. F. G. Hunt. running after 12.05. But, not play-goers to see "On Approval" withstanding, what do the and unhesitatingly predict that Among the passengers leaving management mean by not having they will heartily approve of both and the foreign Press is most for Home on the s.s. "Sarpedon" a special tram available? Such the play and the players. ready and willing at all times to to-day are Mrs. Baker, Mr. and treatment of "patrons" and public

Yours sincerely, SEASON-TICKET HOLDER. Hong Kong, Feb. 20.

NEW DRUM-MAJOR FRANK ATKINSON, OF THE BANVARD CO.

"TIP TOES" TO-NIGHT

SUCCESSFUL PRODUCTION

This is the play that had a continuous ?run? in London of over a year-a little over a year ago. It Seven cases of small-pox were might savour of duliness. Also in His Excellency the Governor notified yesterday—three from every respect the author appears panionate marriage"—and in lan-guage that is likewise at times just a little too "modern,"—somewhat reminiscent of Shaw, with hardly G.B.S.'s epigrammatic brilliance. But Lonsdale is very amusing and even really witty at times. It is no easy matter for the dramatist as well as the players—as in "On Approval," to be restricted to a cast of fourtwo women and two men; and it was the case last night, highly

The experiment that is tried

The ladies of the cast were par-Tram season-ticket holders!) Mrs. Purdie in a recent A.D.C. with reference to the Peak Tram- play, was exceedingly successful, repeats her triumph in "On But it is, however, against the Approval." . She is evidently a forged share scrip purporting A.D.C. that I am "grousing" at wonderfully versatile and very

As the Duke of Bristol, Mr. M. M. Maas represented a type of the British aristocracy which it is to be hoped is very rare. Blase to the extent of eccentricity this Duke of Bristol is as rude as any Shavian character, without being anything like so clever. In Mr. Maas' experienced hands p actically any character would receive adequate treatment, and

that the Peak Tramway Co., A.D.C. player quite equal to his should treat their season- part—a particularly difficult one

The Committee thank the fol-Scriven, the Hong Kong Philharmonic Society, the Press of the Colony, the Fanling Hunt, Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Ltd., the Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels, Ltd., the Anderson Music Co., the Tsang Fook Piano Co., the General Electric Co., of China, Ltd., Messrs. Komor and Komor, Ye Old Printerie Ltd., and the Roxor

Advertising Co. The furniture was lent by Messrs. Lane, Crawford, the grand piano by Tsang Fook Piano Co. and the Columbia Grafanola Cinemagoers should note that Hong Kong saw last night, for by the Anderson Music Co. The

WORLD COURT

PROTOCOL OF NOTE FROM **AMERICA**

ENTRY CONDITIONAL

Washington, Yesterday. timating that the United States is willing to becom ea member of the Court of International Justice at the Hague provided a formula can be discovered safeguarding the interests if the United States, overcoming the obstacle of the fifth American reservation, and stipulating that the Court shall not, without the consent of the United States, entertain any request or advisory opinion touching any dispute or question pense. in which the United States is interested.

Hopeful Opinion Service.

POLITICAL CRISIS

NATIONALISTS THREATENED IN AUSTRALIA

POSITION PRECARIOUS

Canberra, Yesterday. gest political crisis since Mr.

in 1923. ments to the various States.

Labour is voting solidly in payments.

The defeat of the Government would mean the resignation of Mr. Stanley Bruce and his Nationalist Cabinet and the formation of a Ministry, by the Labour Leader, Mr. Scullin. As the latter could not last, a General Election would follow.—Reuter.

SOUTH AFRICA

SECOND READING OF BIG MEASURE PASSED

CLOSE VOTE

Capetown, Yesterday. After a joint sitting of two hours by 80 votes to 86 the second reading of the Natives Parliamentary Representation Bill was pass-

General Hertzog, replying to questions, intimated his willingness to insert a safeguard clause for the natives .- Reuter.

FIRE IN TRAIN

TWO HUNDRED PASSENGERS AFFECTED

FIFTY INJURED

New York, Yesterday.

Fifty passengers were injured and 200 affected by smoke from the fumes of a fire in the first car tube train going to New Jersey by the underground railway beneath Hudson River - Reuter's American Service:

REPARATIONS

SUB-COMMITTEES FOR COM-PLEX QUESTIONS

London, Yesterday. agenda.-British Wireless Service.

KELLOGG PACT

RATIFIED BY CANADIAN PARLIAMENT

Ottawa, Yesterday. The House of Commons unanimously adopted the resolution of Mr. Mackenzle King to ratify the Kellogg Pact. Renter.

NOW ABLE TO GRANT USUAL AUDIENCES

The Hague, Yesterday. Queen, Wilhelmina has sufficiently recovered to great sudiences. Perak Estate, Toluk Anson, is nection with the item in the and was Lable to transact State leaving for Home on holiday by the countiesion on fire insur-

MINORS MARRY MATRIMONIAL TANGLE AND ITS SEQUEL

QUESTION OF GUARDIANSHIP

A young Chinese couple, both Mr. Frank B. Kellogg, Secretary minors, were married some time ago. of State, has handed to the diplo- The husband has since left the matic representatives of all the Colony, and his parents arranged Powers signatory to the World with the wife's parents to return Court the protocol of a Note in their daughter to their custody on payment of \$120.

The money duly changed hands. and the girl returned to her parents household. After staying a few: days, however, she was alleged to have cloped with another man.

Her parents offered a reward \$100 to a friend if he recovered the girl for them. He made inquiries and located the girl in Macao whither he went and brought her back to Hong Kong at his own ex-

The girl's parents were unable to pay the \$100 reward immediately lout. and, consequently, arranged

States senate's reservations may be manded the production of the girl. man in whose custody the girl was and Drum Majorigiven failed to produce, and proceedings were instituted.

Legal Delegation Mr. Hin-shing Lo was instructed for the defence . He successfully of the girl, in the circumstances

that her parents-in-law would not keep her, rested with her own parents (both she and her husband Australia is entering on the big- being minors) and the girl's parents could delegate the guardianship to W. M. Hughes went out of office anyone they chose. The person to whom the guardianship was so dele-The Federal Government is gated, counsel contended, could not threatened with defeat over the be proceeded against unless it could Financial Agreement Bill, finally be proved that the transfer of guareliminating the per capita pay- dianship was made for an immoral the balance; sheet is more than has seen:

The upshot of the matter was that favour of the restoration of these when the case came before Major earmarked to loans. C. Willson, O.B.E., for hearing at the Central Magistracy this morning, the S.C.A., withdrew the charge and Mr. Lo's client was accordingly

FRENCH REVENUE SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE IN JANUARY

A COMPARISON

returns.-Havas.

CENT. MOULDS

CHARGES AGAINST FOUR CHINESE

were yesterday charged before Mr. I regret to say, must so continue T. S. Whyte-Smith, at the Kowloon until the Company is able to re-Magistracy, with the unlawful pos- duce its indebtedness further. session, at No. 79, Yu Chau-street, This is intimately bound with the Shamshuipo, of moulds bearing question of loans, to which a reimpressions resembling 10-cent and ference has been made. 5-cent pieces, local currency.

metal compound of antimony and tin, and a quantity of tools.

The case was adjourned.

A head on collision of a snowplough and a passenger train is reported from Nacetsu, on account of merly used for these commodities solutely clean, Mr. Sheldon em-At its meeting in Paris this the heavy snowstorm which has for other storage. morning the Experts' Committee on been raging in that district for the reparations received certain sugges- last dew days, says the "Kobe tions from Sir Josiah Stamp and Herald." At 8.40 p.m. the Osaka-Dr. Schacht. British and German bound passenger train No. 504 from members, who were requested by the Aomori was about to cross the rail- 1929 has started normally, and we In conclusion, Mr. Sheldon subcommittee to continue, with the way bridge over the Arawa River, have a substantial share of all the mitted that "there is not a tittle assistance of Messieurs Parmentier between Kuroi and Naoetsu along storage offering for West Point. of evidence that Boyle had the (France), Suvitch (Italy), and Gutt the Shinetsu line, when the train The new tariff is expected to res- knife in his possession before the (Belgium), their investigations into collided with a Russel plough be- trict imports into China, but a not crime." the best means of organising sub- longing to the Nacetsu Station. The improbable result is the greater I do ask your Lordship to becommittees for the special examina- plough was engaged, with 40 coolies, use of Hong Kong as a depot for lieve that he had no intent whattion of complex' questions on the in clearing the track of the accumulation of snow, but owing to Company's business will benefit. the storm the drivers were unable to see anything, ahead and before revenue, and the Company's pro- would be of interest to the share they could take steps to avoid the perty has been well maintained. danger, the collision occurred. Two Capital expenditure in improve Company they represented. of the cars attached to the Russel. plough fell headlong into the Araka- confined to our requirements for wa river over a bank 15 feet high space, and in every instance with nearly 30 coolles. Five of the been immediately productive unfortunate men were crushed revenue. under the cars and 15 were serious. I now formally move the adoply injured. Those who attempted tion of the report and accounts for to swim to the shore perished on the year 1928, and I would ask one account of the intense cold. The of you, gentlemen, to second the casualties among the passengers in motion, after which I shall be the train were not very serious, pleased to answer any questions. but, as the result of the severe Mr. J. T. Bagram seconded the shock, of about 200 passengers, ten proposal for the adoption of the were injured, some severely.

Mr. D. Owen Jones, of Kuala Mr. C. Mancini said that in col

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY CRICKET GROUND

GOVERNOR PRESENT TOTAL VALLET BY BY LOOK

An interesting ceremony took "The "Retreat."

occupied reserved seats in the may be seen at the Queen's Thea-

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(Continued From Page 1.) . leral Reserve was increased

ample to meet any deficiency which might arise in the reserves specially

Net Profit Larger Turning to the Profit & Loss Account, gentlemen, the accounts show a net profit for the year, after deduction of all charges, of \$41,793.58, an increase of \$20,000

compared with 1927. This increase was due to a large extent to the economies effected during the year, and, in a minor way, to a reduced interest account. The net earnings of the godowns vious year, but we did not have, an excuse of They are an explana? The revenue returns for January in the year under review, anything tion. And Boyle bitterly regrets, totalied 3,903,000,000 francs an in- like the benefit obtained in 1927 said counsel.

in profit in the normal business of . . Counsel and the Army

Three Chinese men and a woman a heavy drain on the profits, and

Business conditions were not of There was a further charge of the best in 1928, but they could possession of 50 counterfeit 10-cent not, neverheless, be considered to pieces, and 25 5-cent pieces. After have been bad. Sugar imports in evidence of raiding the house had 1928 exceeded 1927 figures threebeen given by Detective Sergeant fold, but owing to a change in the Brittain, the acting Government An- method of financing the importaalyst, Mr. V. C. Branson, gave tion of this commodity, only apevidence as to the nature of the proximately one third of the total seized articles produced in Court, was landed for storage; the drop including potassium cyanide, plaster in prices of flour in the second of paris, the moulds, nitric acid, a half of the year, resulting in the subsequent restriction of imports, and the boycott against produce imported from Dairen, were adverse factors to the godown business, but we were fortunate in put in. Boyle is not yet 23. He being able to utilise the space for has had 18 months' service—ab-

Effect of Tariff Repairs have been met out of ments was relatively small

teport and accounts.

Sharehader's Query ande agency, he thought that if

FAMOUS SCREEN LOVERS

TOGETHER AGAIN OF TOLSTOI'S "ANNA KARENINA"

John Gilbert and Greta Garbo at Star Theatre, 9.15 p.m. place yesterday afternoon on the -the couple who made new film To-day Harmston's Circus, Praya Hong Kong Cricket Club ground history in Flesh And The East Reclamation, 9,15 p.m. when the 2nd Battalion of the Devil," appear together againone of the most poignant human Miserables" (5 and 9.15 (Sir Cecil Clementi, K.C.M.G.), in "Love," 1 (Metro-Goldwyn- and 7.15 p.m.) Major-General Luard and the Mayer's huge filmisation of To-day-Star Theatre; "Spring Hon. Mr. W. T. Southorn, C.M.G., Tolstoi's "Anna Karenina," which Fever."

tre from to-day to Saturday a The programme, which includ- It is a more romantic Gilbert ed marches, a galop and a popu- than even appeared in "The Merry lar waltz tune, hesides "The Re- Widow" who gives the remarktreat" and an evening hýmn, was able portrayal of Count Vronský well played. The immense audi- the Russian lover; in the vivid ence was deeply impressed by the new photodrama, and Miss Garbo. series tof drill exercises carried as the tragic Anna, also has a big part to:play. The story is a tense "The Retreat" was perfectly human interest tale the story of Unofficial circles are of opinion transfer the guardianship of the rendered. The first verse of the a great love that sacrifices all, and that it is not unlikely that the im- girl to their friend until they could hymn was given by the full band, that is dogged by sinister fate and pending conference of jurists in raise the money by arranging another marriage for their daughter. the second by the wood-wind instruments, while the band took set in gorgeous surroundings; the of the Hon. Mr. J. P. Brage and the statute of the Court may discover a The matter came to the notice of up the third verse again, and the pomp and circumstances of the formula to be incorporated in the the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, evening hymn "The Day Thou Russian artistocracy before the revised statute, whereby the United who immediately stepped in and de- Gavest, Lord, is ended." revolution, when: Russia's recourt At the conclusion of the pro- was the gayest in the whole world. fully covered.—Reuter's American together with the necessary docu- gramme His Excellency the Gov- Edmund Golding, dramatist and ments of guardianship. This the ernor 'thanked the Bandmaster screen director, scored a distinct triumph in his direction of the Russian masterpiece, and the cast is well chosen. George Fawcett is a compelling figure as the stern old Grand Duke, and Brandon Hurst is a sometimes sinister but argued that the lawful guardianship \$162,000; The deduction of \$50,000 always interesting character as Meeting from this reserve for loss on Terri- Count Karenin, while Emily Fitztorial shares has already been ex- roy's characterisation of Countess plained, and in addition to this the Betsey leaves nothing to be desiraccount has been debited with cer- ed. Little Phillippe De Larcy Y.M.C.'s Marathon Race, 3 p.m. thin outstanding accounts, origin- plays the heroine's son in a wellally incorrectly billed, appertaining balanced performance. Court to years prior to 1928, and are there- functions, military manœuvres, fore bad debts only in a technical the snow scenes, and other brilliant detail embellish, the huge Your Board feel that the reserve production, one of the most lavish of more than \$685,000 now shown in screen plays the present season

. (Continued from page 1.) Boyle's resentment against Kerr was probably inflamed by the drink, Mr. Sheldon continued and he formed the intention of going down to assault Kerr that "From the time Boyle

got. up, the notion of using a Echange Bldg., (2nd floor) noon. knife did not occur to him for a moment until he sew (it on the "I cannot ask your Lordship to were \$20,000 less than the pre- treat the facts I have stated as

crease of 497,000,000 on the from a fortuitous revenue from the When he visited Boyle in pri-Budget preliminaries and of 491,- Military, which amounted to a con- son yesterday, Mr. Sheldon an-000,000 compared with last year's siderable sum. nounced, the words Boyle used to The working of the godowns has him were that he was very sorry been satisfactory from all points indeed that he had used such a S.J., lettures on "A Book And Its of view, and your Board is pleas- mean and cowardly manner of get. Story," 5.80 p.m. ed with the substantial increase ting his own back on Kerr.

There was no officer of the were really under their non-com- 5.50 p.m. missioned officer.

don remarked, when he suggest- Chinese Y.M.C.A. ed that a man in the Army felt Feb. 24-Y.M,C.A. very bitter when bullied by a non- Quiet hour, 9 p.m. commissioned officer who had Feb. 25-At Kowloon Y.M.C.A. "got a down on him" and he had "Talk on China,", 6.80 p.m. no officer to turn to for protec-

In the course of his address, Mr. Sheldon also referred to parts of the depositions in which Kerr is alleged to have told witnesses that if they ran the FOR SALE .- Austin Seven in good "Crown and Anchor" board for condition, spare wheel-\$750. Aphim, he would "see them right" ply Box 586, c/o "China Mail." if they were "crimed" by another sergeant but, he. Kerr, would have nothing to do with them if they were caught. Clean Record

The Army records: were then phasised. He had never been in trouble either in his regiment or There is no reason at the mo- in civil life. Since November 7 ment, gentlemen, to anticipate a 1928, he had been constantly in boom year, or either a bad year. jail, remanded from week to week

spot cargo, in which event the soever to use a weapon for the revenge he contemplated."

> holders to know what insurance The Chairman replied that it was

the Yorkshire Insurance Co., Ltd., of

which they had a sub-agency;

There being no other questions, the motion for the adoption of the report and accounts was put to the meeting and carryd unanimously. On the proposal of Mr. O. Kitchell, seconded by Mr. L. E. Guterres, Sir Robert Ho Tung, Kt.; and Mr. T. B. Wilson, the retiring Directors were unalmously re-elect-

The Chairman proposed and Mr. C. Mancini seconded, the re-election. of Mesers, Linstead and Davis, and Fleming as Auditors for the ensu-

COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCED CAN THE MAIL

RECORD To-day - W. R. Banvard's New Musical Comedy Co., in "Tip Toes"

To-day-Queen's Theatre: "Love." Queen's Royal Regiment played this time in a world classic, and To-day-World Theatre; "Les His - Excellency the Governor interest romances of all literature, Chinese pleture "Poor Daddy" (2.30

To-day-Majestic Theatre: "Her Honour the Governor." Feb. 21-Hong Kong Amateur Diamatic Club presents "On Approval," at the Theatre Royal. Feb. 21-Vocal & Piano Recital

at Helena May Institute, 5.80 p.m.

Feb. 23 International dance display at Club de Recreio, King's March 1-Dance at Engineers and Shinbuilders' Institute March 6 Garden Party at Club Hon. Dr. Tao, 5.30 p.m.

Lammerts' Auctions Feb. 21-At Sales Room. Duddellst., Miscellaneous goods and furni-Feb. 22 At Sales Room, a valuable collection of Postage stamps, 5.15 p.m.

Feb. 25, 26, 27 & Mar. 2-Hong Kong Jockey Club Annual Race March 2-Boxing, Tournament at

Theatre Royal. March 16-St. Peter's Church Feb. 28-Meeting of H.K.V.D.C. Sergeants' Mess Committee, 6, p.m. March 1-Hong Kong Tramways Ltd., Annual Meeting, Messra, Jardine's office, noon.

March 7-Forty-second annual meeting of Shareholders of H.K. & K. Whr. & Godown Co., Ltd., Messrs. Jardine offices, noon. Meetings

Feb. 21-Annual general meeting of - European Y.M.C.A. Kowloon,

Feb. "21—Annual Meeting of European Y.M.C.A., at Kowloon, pinion's years where it is it is the Feb. 22-Fourth Annual meeting of Hong Kong Telephone Co., Ltd.,

Feb. 28-Further extraordinary meeting of shareholders of Hong Rong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, City: Hall, 12.45 p.m. Feb. "28 - Thirty-third yearly

meeting of the Dairy Farm Ice & Cold Storage Co., Ltd., 12 Lower Albert-rd., noon: 127 37 1964 and Miscellaneous To-day-At St. Patrick's Hall, 5

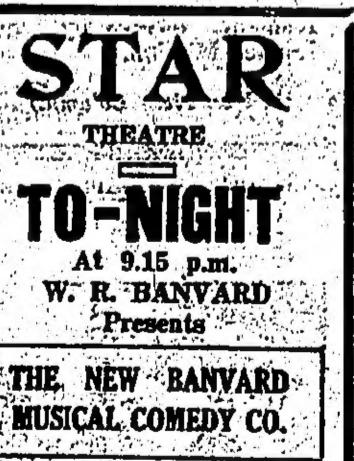
Garden Road, the Rev. Fr. P. Joy, Feb. 21-Honk Kong Horticul-

tura Society annual show. Volunteer Headquarters. Interest charges continue to be King's Own Scottish Borderers Feb. 22-H.K.V;D.C. Annual inon that troopship so that the men spection at Murray Parade ground.

Feb. 23-Laying of Foundation "I know it very well," Mr. Shel- stone of the Kowloon branch of

Kowloon.

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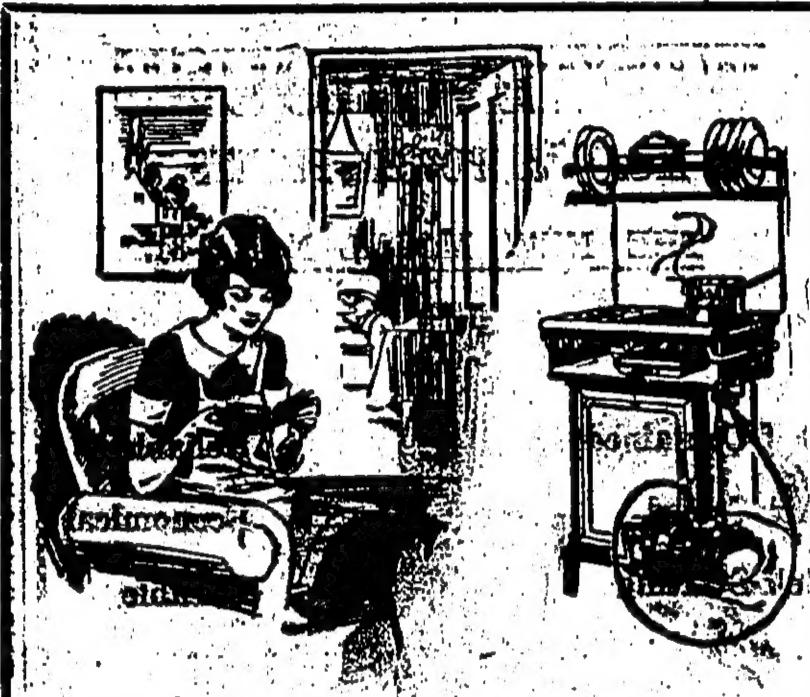
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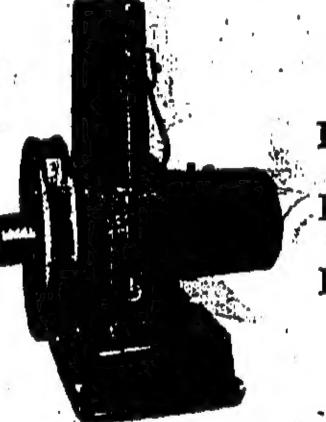
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MEDICAL WORK CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS IN SHANGHAI

RESEARCH WORK

cal School, New York.

Dr. Earle presented the report Mr. J. Watson, of the Council on research. It after considerable discussion question: "That the Executive Committee be given all authority to make grants from the fund of the Association for research, and that the Council for Research be authorised to make recommendations for grants for research from outside bodies."

Technology Institute Dr. Hadden presented the report of the Institute of Hospital Technology. The following resolutions were

seconded and passed:-(1):—That the time has now arrived for the formation of an independent Board of Control for the I.H.T. The functions of the Board of Control are to advise the Director, to administer the funds

of the Institute. (2).—That Local Governing a routine nature. Bodies of the Wesleyan Methodist Missionary Society, the London Missionary Society, and the adventure was returned at an in-American Church Mission be quest at Poplar, E., on Sidney each asked to nominate a repre- Henry Crowe aged 8, of Abbottssentative on the Board of Control road, Poplar, who died from sleepy and that three members of the sickness after being vaccinated at China Medical Association be also school.

hominated to go on the Board. (3).—That representatives of other bodies assisting materially in the establishment or work of the Institute, may be co-opted on to the Board of Control as con-

sidered advisable. (4).—That the Executive Committee of the China Medical Association sanction an appeal being made to the forthcoming Conference for funds to assist in the establishment of the I.H.T. at Hankow, it being made clear that such funds as may become advisable will be handed over to the Board of Control for administra-

(5).-That, until such time as the Board of Control be formed, about \$13,000. the Association will continue to manage the affairs of the Insti-

The following proposals from the Executive Committee were also approved by the Confer-

The Executive Committee has carefully considered, the estimate ates for the I.H.T. in consultation. with Dr. Hadden, and recommends for your approval the following:-

Annual Expenditure:

2 Chinese workers, \$1,000 a year. 2 Chinese servants,

\$400 a year. General expenses, \$1,000 a year.

Under annual expenditure mus also be included:-The salary of the Director,

supplied by the W.M.M.S. nician, offered (subject to confirmation) by an American Society.

Director, if not otherwise provided for. Capital Expenditure:

Plant:-Dormitories for students with accommodation for foreign technician, \$14,000. Site for plant and Director's resident, offered by the London Mission.

(Continued on Next Column.)

REFUSE DISPOSAL COST OF EXPERIMENT IN SHANGHAI

LOCAL ENQUIRY

At the fourth session of the A meeting of the Sanitary Board China Medical Association's Con- was held yesterday afternoon, there ference held in Shanghai on being present Mr. G. R. Sayer February 11-Dr. H. H. Morris, (Chairman), the Hon. Mr. H. T. the Vice-President, in the chair- Creasy (Director of Public Works), telegrams of greeting were read Dr. H. A. Fawcett (M.O.H.), Dr. from the Ministry of Health, Nan- W. V. M. Koch, the Hon. Dr. S. W. king, and the Post-graduate Medi- Tso, the Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, Mr.

"Reverting to the question of returned at half past three.

incinerators for refuse destrucsioner of Public Works at Shangtor, for which the provision of a guilty of child stealing. sum of Taels 50,000 has been made by the Shanghai Municipality, to ascertain its efficacy as a means of disposing of wet and dry garbage, the cost of its maintenance and the use or otherwise for road purposes of the clinker obtained?"

The Chairman: The answer is "Yes." We will make the proposed and generally manage the affairs enquiries. The rest of the business was of

A verdict of Death by Mis-

Whisky and brandy valued between £700 and £800 were stoler from the warehouse of Mesers. Castle and Co., Vauxhall, S.E.

Equipment:

Students' furnishings, \$1,000. Laboratory equipment,

Should it be possible to secure the necessary sum, it might be preferable to build a Director's residence on a site near the students' dormitories rather than incur an annual expenditure for rent for his house. The probable cost of such a house would be

Appeal to Members The Executive Committee appeal to the members of the Association to show their practical appreciation of the work of the Institute and to express their conrequired help to the many under- time of the robbery. The jury bestaffed hospitals in providing lieved that they had received the practical assistants.

The Executive believes that this may best be done by raising, a fund amongst the inembers themselves to allow of the immediate recommending of the work and that such a fund raised among the doctors themselves will constitute the strongest possible challenge to Mission Board to supply the needs for a permanent Institute

of Hospital Technology. The Executive Committee asks the Conference to approve a The salary of a foreign tech- strong appeal from the Associa-

tion to those Mission Boards on the field and at home who are not already assisting in this work for The rent of a house for the grants for this purpose either by annual contributions for the support of the Institute or by undertaking to provide a part or the whole of one or more of the items of capital expenditure.

The following amendment brought forward by Dr. Snell was also seconded and passed :- "That Dr. Maxwell be requested to make special appeal to the Home Boards on his coming visit to the homeland on behalf of the L.H.T.

JURY DISAGREE FRESH INSTRUCTIONS BY

JUDGE . STEALING OF A CHILD

The jury disagreed in a case at the Criminal Sessions yesterday afternoon, before Mr. Justice Wood. Four Chinese faced three charges, one relating to a robbery at a Shatin matshed and the other two being in respect of the two children stolen, one being a girl and the other Wong Kwong-tin, and the Secretary, a boy, each five years of age. The girl was found in Shanghal-atreet In pursuance of notice, the Hon. but the boy has not been seen since, was moved, seconded and passed Mr. J. P. Braga asked the following . After his Lordship had summed up the jury retired at 2,25 p.m. and

When asked if they were untion, will the Head of the Sani- animous, the foreman replied that tary Department place himself in they were unanimous in so far as communication with the Commis- the first and second prisoners were not guilty of all the charges. With hai and find out the result, when regard to the third they found him available, of the experiment about guilty of robbery by a majority of to commence of a small incinera- six to one, but unanimously not One Crime

His Lordship remarked that it was a case where a gang entered a house, robbed, and stole two children. It was difficult for him to understand the jury's position as to how they could find the prisoner not guilty on the charge of child stealing. It was one crime and consisted of three parts, the robbery itself and the stealing of two children.

The foreman replied that they had not discussed the point as to whether the prisoner stole a child

His Lordship requested the jury to retire and reconsider their

The jury returned after 15 minutes. They re-affirmed their decision with regard to the first and second prisoners. With regard to the third prisoner they again found him: guilty of robbery by six votes to one, the foreman explaining that the jury found that he was implicated in the child stealing but they were not sure whether he was the man who took a child away. His Lordship pointed out that if

they found him to be implicated, as it was a gang robbery, then they must find him guilty. The jury then found the man to

be guilty of child stealing, also by six votes to one. With regard to the fourth pri-

soner, the foreman said they were unanimous that he was guilty of robbery, and by six votes to one, guilty of child stealing. Other Charges?

The foreman further, explained that with regard to the first and second prisoners, the jury found they were implicated at a later such an Institute to render much stage but were not at Shatin at the

> Speaking to Mr. Holmes, his Lordship raised the question of charging the first and second

prisoners on different counts. Mr. Holmes replied that in view of what had been said other proceedings would be considered.

The first and second prisoners were discharged and sentence on the other two was deferred to Fridayen Green and the second

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Denver 2 Colorado. There they tried ON YOUR GOOD HEALTH LESSA ltarving me but that did not do any good either. I went from there to Los Angeles hoping that the good in his career, because of, ill health, climate I had heard of there might relieve me, but I was getting worse and find himself prematurely old and n' failure in his chosen profession or "I was then weighing 224 pounds occupation when he could have enjoy-

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LAWN TENNIS

RANKING LISTS AT HOME

GOLD MEDALS

decided to institute ranking lists. for both sexes. The first will be issued at the end of the forthcom-

It has also resolved that gold medals should be awarded in future to all ladies representing Great Britain in Wightman Cup matches against America.-Reuter.

BILLIARDS

The following letter was recent ly sent to the Editor of the "North-China Daily News":-

Sir,—I think the arrangements made by the Shanghai Billiard Pte, Whitfield, not out Association for the visit of Mr. Falkiner were not so good this year as before. In previous years when Mr. -R. C. K. Johnston was president of the Association he personally took great interest in Baker fixing up the table at the Town Hall, and fixing dates with the various clubs so that as soon as Falkiner arrived he had a cutand-dried programme all ready. The public were duly informed beforehand what the arrangements were and we could buy a season ticket for \$10 so that we had something to look forward to: The previous visit was a great success but the recent visit was a failure. It has been said that Falkiner had to visit the various clubs and make his own arrangements, and eventually actually had to erect a table himself in the S.V.C. gymnasium for some of his games. The result is, I understand, that he will not visit Shanghai again, and we can look forward to a slump in billiards. The Billiard Association ought to consider that there are many people who take an interest in billiards and yet do not belong to clubs. In my own case I saw every game of Falkiner's during

but in that case \$5 had to be paid, and I thought that was too much. I know that several clubs have no accommodation for an exhibition game, but would have no objection to joining other clubs at some central place, and as there was no joint venture through the Billiard Association those clubs could not take part. I only mention this matter because there is a great deal of grumbling, and I hope that the Billiard Association will revert to the old arrangement in

his previous visit, but this year I

did not see a single game owing

to the difficulty of finding out

where he was playing. I did know

future. I think also the games for the Senior Championship would be much better if played on the Association table instead of in clubs. I am, etc.,

HOCKEY

Shanghai, Feb. 11, 1929.

Y.M.C.A. AND UNIVERSITY DRAW

The Y.M.C.A. fielded only nine men against the University's full team in a hockey game at King's Park, yesterday, the match resulting in a draw of one goal each.

PAPER HUNT

The Paper Hunt which takes place on Sunday, Feb. 24, is timed to commence at 11 a.m. from Sousa's Bungalow.

CRICKET

ARMY BEAT NAVY BY- ONE WICKET

CONSISTENT BOWLING

London, Yesterday. Requiring 87 runs to win with Following the example of the eight wickets in hand, the Army American governing body the Eng- continued their innings yesterday ground by 4-1. lish Lawn Tennis Association has afternoon and won by one wicket. Scores:-

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vices in a two-days match on Mon- ber of clever animal acts. day and Tuesday, commencing at The dental trapeze perform China Lights: (new)

shan Recreation Club. The B.A.T. there was no evidence to show th were runners-up.

FOOTBALL AT HOME

TWO SCOTTISH LEAGUE MATCHES

ST. MIRREN SURPRISED

Glasgow, Yesterday. Two matches were played in the Scottish League (First Division) Celtie were at home to Hamilton B

At Paisley St. Mirren met Cowdenbeath, and had the discomfiture of being beaten on their own

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UNITED SERVICES Shield Competition Match To-day

The above match, a senior semifinal, will commerce at 4.30 p.m. on the Sookumpoo ground, when H.M.S. "Kent" will play the K.O.S.B. The referee will be Capt. A. W.

PLEASING CHANGE OF PROGRAMME

A number of new attractions Fincher, E. F. Fincher, F. E. new programme at Harmston's. HK. Territorials Lawrence, R. E. H. Oliver, J. J. Juggling on the wire by Prince's Buildings --Hirst, G. A. V. Hall, and H. T. Delroy and on horseback by Piers, literally brought down the house. H.K. T'ways \$20.70 b 20.90 s 20% sa The one-legged gymnast, Karim, Peak Trams (old)\$13 s provided a number of feats of Peak Trams (new)\$6.80 n Volunteers against the United Ser- His turn was followed by a num- | China Lights (comb.)

one o'clock each day (lunch at ance of the Mackie Sisters was re- China Lights 1928 issue . ____ noon) on the H.K.C.C. ground: peated. The Nelson Trio, in H.K. E'trics (old) 35. 354 b & sa Owen Hughes, A. W. Hayward, stunts, continued to hold the Macao Electrics\$26% n H. V. Parker, E. C. Fincher, C. D. spectators spellbound. A double H.K. Telephone\$7.10 b old Wales, J. L. Bonnar, O. Moor, A. jockey act by Miss Mackie and W. of the game at the American Club, Reid, G. E. R. Divett, and F. Jenkins is another feature of the China Buses\$121/4 b programme.

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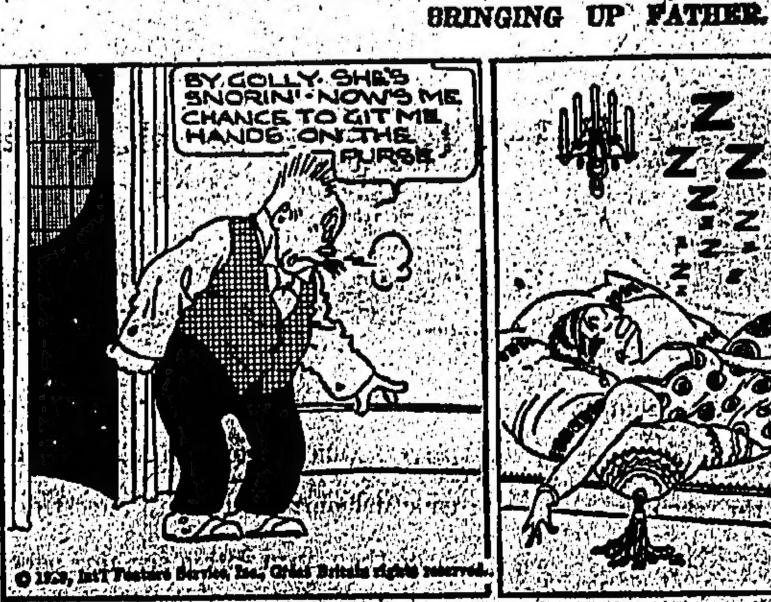
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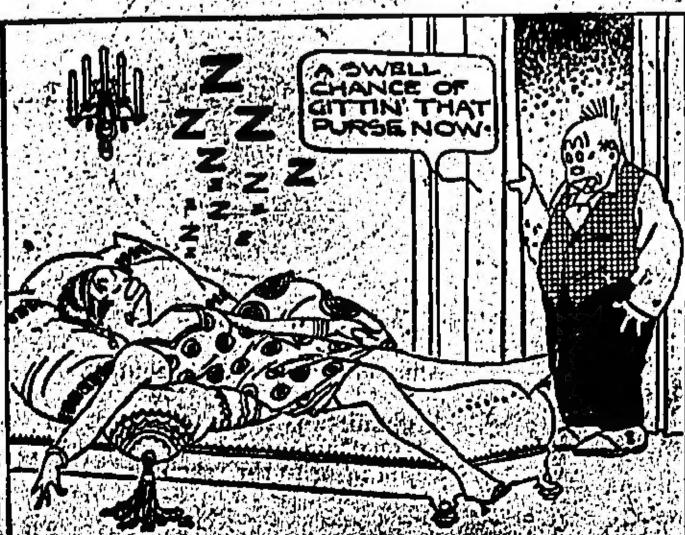
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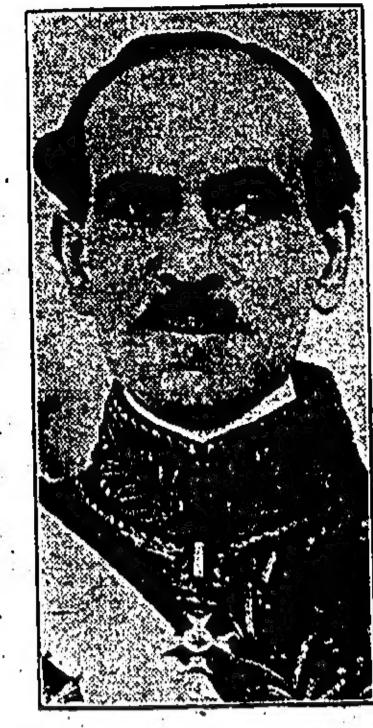
Commissioner, Metropolitan Police, whose campaign against the London night clubs has borne

An Early Photo of the Booth Family



Here is a rare old photo of Rev. William Booth, founder of the Salvation Army, and his family. Left to right, Catherine, the Rev. William Booth, Emma (the late Mrs. William Booth Tucker); William Bramwell Booth, the present General (standing; Mrs. William Booth, Herbert, the baby, and Ballington. The picture does not show Commander Evangeline (inset) because it was taken before her birth.

Bolivian Minister



Senor Diez de Medina, Minister from Bolivia to the United States and Delegate to the recent Pan-American Conference.

Charlie's Third?



Georgia Hale, the leading lady in Charlie Chaplin's current film, who may become the famous_ comedian's third wife, according to reports going the rounds in Hollywood.

May McAvoy



The film star; who is to be married in April to Mr. Maurice Cleary, a nephew of Doheny, the oil magnate. Lois Wilson is to be maid of honour. Mrs. McAvoy, with whom her daughter has lived continually, approves of the forthcoming marriage.

Indoor Rowing Practice



The apparatus designed by "Rusty" Callow, the head coach, for indoor training of candidates for the University of Pennsylvania crew. The mirrors enable both instructor and pupil to watch the rowing style during the I ectice.

Afghanistan

Helen Cox of Australia



King Alexander of Yugo-Slavia, who is now much talked of in European politics and has become practically

The latest photos of King Amanullah and Queen Souriya of Afghanistan, taken at Court in Kabul prior to the rebellion.

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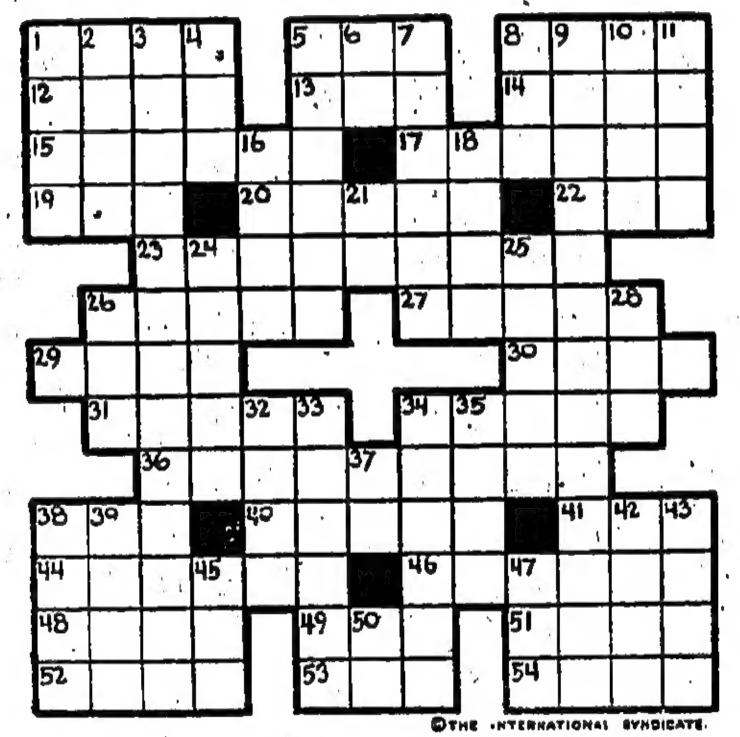


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(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



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40-Same as "Speet"

HORIZONTAL (Cont.) 41-Prefix. Three 44-One who cuts by 46-Pertaining to the middle 48-A flat fish 49-Highest note of Guido's scale

51-Obsolete form of 52-A callection of logiandio literature 58-A Japanese coin 54-Combining form. Within

VERTICAL 1-To cautorize 2-Girl's name

8-A noted French 4-A tree 6-The size, shape style of a book 6-Road (abbr.) 7-Man's name . 8-Personal pronoun

VERTICAL (Cont.) 9-A chain-like sories 10-One who mimics 11-Neat 16-Capital of Norway 18-A Mexican dollar 21-Profix-same as "in"

24-To oringe

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38-irish Gaelle 39-A crucifix 42-A river margin (Prov. Eng.) 43-Combining form. 45-A drink 47-To color [60-The (French)

(The solution of the above cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue along with a new cross-word puzzle.)

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S'HAI TRAGEDY

A FOREIGN LADY'S STRANGE

INQUEST IN U.S. COURT Before Mr. Alexander Krisel, Florence Schmidt, wife of Sven The call sign of the station Schmidt of the Majestic Hotel Or- Z.B.W. chestra, who was found dead in

bed on the previous Saturday morn-

ing in her rooms at 15 Kungping-

road by the houseboy. The first witness was Det.-Insp. Knight who testified that he had been sent on the case by the police and on arrival found the deceased lying on her bed, apparently dead, and with Dr. Bryson attempting what measures he could to rovive life. He stated that in an adjoining bathroom he had found two Golondrina" (The Swallow), Paul open bottles, one marked veronal Whiteman & His Orchestra. and the other containing some red fluid the name of which he did Gondollers"-Tenor, John Coates. not know. He also found a box of bicarbonate of sods, and a glass moresque and "Fox And Hounds"standing near by containing a mix- Descriptive, St. Hilda Colliery Prize ture of sode and water. Immediate- Band. an additional doctor and when both "Otello-Fuoco Di Gioia" (Verdi), Frank Bridge. attending physicians had pronounc- La Scala Chorus of Milan. ed life extinct, he had ordered the

mortuary. The Houseboy's Evidence Toung Ah-du, the houseboy, gave evidence that the deceased had come in about midnight the previous night accompanied by a marine in uniform who stayed but a few minutes and departed. The next morning at about 10.30 the telephone had rung with a request by Symphony Orchestra. a masculine voice to speak to Mrs. "Lumber Love" (Rolling. The Log) Schmidt. Witness called her, but and "Lumber Love" (My Manreceiving no answer entered the Waltz Song)-Soprano, Annie Rees. room and found the deceased lying face downward on the bed, and on Queen's Hall Light Orchestra. failing to rouse her by repeated "Faust-Gainst The Power" and shakings he told the inquirer at "Faust - Soldiers' Chorus," The the telephone that she was very B.B.C. Chorus.

same marine who had been there the night before called and immediately on seeing the deceased had Guards. got in touch with a doctor and had instructed the boy to call in the Grove," Royal Welsh Ladies Choir. police. He identified the marine as Pte. John L. Brooks, U.S.M.C., who was present at the inquest and Lener String Quartet. who gave evidence.

Evening in a Cabaret Pte. Brooks gave evidence that he had known Mrs. Schmidt for several months and had been in the habit of taking her to local places of amusement. On the night preceding her death he had called for her early in the evening and after dinner at her quarters had taken her to a local cabaret where they sat about until just before midnight, when he had taken her home. He had stopped there for one drink of brandy, and did not recall any Percival Mackey's Band. conversation by the deceased that would lead him to believe she contemplated suicide. ... He had left the house about 12.15 and the next morning had called her on the 'phone to say good-morning. When the boy told him of the unsuccessful attempts to awaken her he had become suspicious and had called at the house with the result that he had found her dead body. the cabaret they had taken only LADY TAKEN DOWN SHANGHAI three bottles of beer between them for the entire evening and on the return to her house they had a very overdose of sleeping tablets.

evidence to the effect that though tion until she was surrounded by he and his wife had been separated hooligans who relieved her of her for several months there was a money and handbag, Mrs. M. N. strong liking still existing between Davis, one of the passengers on the them and he was sure that had she round-the-world str. "Belgenland." proposed to take her life, she would was the victim of an exciting and. have informed him of it. He re- unpleasant experience between 5.30 lated that on several instances he and 6 o'clock on Monday evening. had found her in the possession of says the "N. C. Daily News" of Feb. a strong sleeping tablet to which 18. she had become accustomed and on

ened her heart that she succumbed. about Mex. \$450 in value.

Planning to Take Her Life Maud Chambers, was another wit- missing articles. ness and stated that she had known Mrs. Schmidt for six years. A few months ago the deceased had told Preston-road, Wembley, who had her she was planning to end her been summoned by his wife for life but had been talked away from desertion, was found; dead in a the idea by the witness. On one bedroom with a gas tube near his occasion she had found the dead mouth. woman suffering a considerable dizziness from the confessed taking of sleeping tablets in too great a

The inquest was adjourned.

Mr. H. R. Selley, for many years chairman of the London House Builders' Association, is to be recommended for adoption as Conservative candidate in the South Baltersea by election.

The members of the Simon Commission, who are due to leave India W. on April 18, should be back in London by the end of April.

Z. B. W.

LOCAL PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY

ON 950 METRES

The following programme will be Commissioner, in the U.S. Court for broadcast to-day from the Govern-China, Shanghai, on Feb. 18, an in- ment radio station on the Peak, the quest was held into the death of Mrs. | wave-length being 850 metres.

> 5.30-6.30 p.m. — Demonstration Programme.

7.48 p.m.—Evening Weather Re-8 p.m. - Evening Programme

(Columbia Records). "The Windmill Man"-Selection, Court Symphony Orchestra.

"Organ Fantasia Of Old Songs"-Organ Solo, W. G. Webber. "Lia Paloma" (The Dove) and "La

"The Knotting Song" and "The "Who's Dat A-Callin'?" -- Hu-

"Blue Eyes" (Kern)—Selection, body to be taken to the public Piccadilly Theatre Orchestra. "Suite Gothique" (Boellmann)-Grand Organ Solo, Francis Subton.

Introduction. Choral. 2. Menuet Gothique. ...

8. Priere A Notre Dame. 4. Toccata. "Lumber Love"-Selection, Lido Modern Orchestra.

"Le Maschere"-Sinfonia, Milan

"Pagliacci" - Selection, New

"Les Patineurs, Valse" (The About an hour later he said the Skaters) and "Les Sirenes, Valse," The Band of H.M. Grenadier

"Clychau Aberdyfi" and "The Ash

10.10 p.m.—News Bulletin. "Quartet In D. Minor" (Mozart),

Part 1. Allegro moderato (First Part). Part 2. (a) Allegro moderato

(Concluded) and (b) Andante (First Part). "Ohevalier Medley"—Fox Trot Percival Mackey's Band.

Introducing: Knocked 'em in the Old Kent Road.

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10.30 p.m.—Close Down.

TOURIST ROBBED

ALLEYWAY

Swung suddenly off the main small brandy apiece. It was his thoroughfare as she was being pullbelief that she had died from an ed in a ricsha down Nanking-road, and with no idea whether she was The husband of the deceased gave going in the right or wrong direc-

Mrs. Davis was riding unsuspectone instance on finding her in an ingly in ber riceha on Nanking obviously dizzy condition had hid- road when, just near Fokien-road. den them and not returned them to the ricsha-coolie turned suddenly into an alleyway: After go-When they decided to separate ing a short distance down the alley she would not give him her address Mrs. Davis found herself in the and he had not seen her prior to midst of a gang of five or six men. her death for some considerable She was too far down the turning time. He stated that he was to receive assistance from the satisfied that she had died of an crowds on the main road, and the unintentional overdose of a sleep- men quickly snatched her handbag ing potion and that this with the and made off. Inside the handbag brandy she had taken previous to were gold and Mexican dollars with retiring for the night had so weak- a few personal belongings; totalling

Police are endeavouring to trace A friend of the deceased, Mrs. the robbers and recover some of the

Mr. G. W. Ireland, aged 35, of

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TO-MORROW'S PROGRAMME

The programme for the vocal and piano recital at the Helena May Institute to-morrow at 5.30 p.m., by Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bownes-Smith. with Mrs. A. Hargreaves-Browne as accompanist, is as follows:-

Three Old Italian Songs:—(a) Se tu m'ami, se tu sospiri, Pergolesi (b) Caro mio ben, Giordani; (c) M'ha preso alla sua ragna, Paradies. Etude in E Minor, (c) Prelude in E, (d) Prelude in C Sharp Minor, (e) Valse in A Flat.—Chopin. Three Operatic Arias in English

-(a) Santuzza's Aria from Cavalleria Rusticana, Leoncavello; (b) Mimi's: Aria from 'La Boheme, Puccini; (c) Butterfly's Aria from Madame Butterfly, Puccini.

Etudes Symphoriques - Schu-

Four English Songs:—(a) The Lament of Isis, Granville Bantock: (b) Lullaby, Cyril Scott; (c) Goodbye, Dear Heart, A. M. Bowesly on arrival he sent in a call for "Otello - La Tempesta" and Smith; (d) Love went a-riding,

(a) Prelude in G Flat, (b) Prelude in G Minor- Rachmaninoff.

Mr. T. W. Dunn, of Bickfordroad, Croydon, Surrey, who was found lying near his motor-cycle at Bolney cross-roads, Sussex, died a few days later.



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PARIS TO HANOI VENTURE -

CRASH NEAR PARIS COSTE UNFORTUNATE AT THE START

CARRYING HEAVY MAIL

Paris, Yesterday. ree aviators, including the amous Captain Coste, left on stage of their flight to Hanol to study the establishment of a re-

gular air mail beween France and Indo-China. The machine carrying mail, representing 90,000 Francs, was forced to land on the outskirts of

It crashed and was destroyed but | trains.-Reuter.

the occupants were unhurt .- Reu-

Le Brix

Tunis, Yesterday. Le Brix left for Cairo at 10.30 .-Havas.

JEWEL SMUGGLING

LINER'S CHIEF STEWARD PLEADS GUILTY

ILLICIT TRAFFIC

New York, Yesterday. William Ballyn, the Chief Steward of the "Berengaria," pleaded guilty before the Federal Court to a conspiracy to smuggle in diamonds. The Assistant United States Attorney stated that Ballyn was expected to testify on behalf of the Government at the trial of five others under the same indictment.

One of the five is a city policeman. Fideral officials estimate that one million dollars worth of jewels were smuggled into the United States.

seafarers but also the dock police American financial interests and is and jewellers, by which the jewels working out a scheme for a Trans-Southampton to New York, where Halifax and Galway with air serthey were handed over to the agent vice extensions at each end .-who delivered the gems to the Reuter. wholesale dealers.

The illicit traffic has become so serious that a jewellers' protective society contemplated appealing to Congress.-Reuter's American Ser-

PEKING LEGATIONS

Peking, Yesterday. Some excitement was caused early this afternoon, when the Legation police force, with the exception of three men, struck with-

out warning. The men have not made any demands, and have not yet given any reasons for striking.

It is learned that some days ago a deputation of police made charges against the foreign officials, which the Commission for the administration of the Legation Quarter investigated and found to and preventing "illegal confisca- workers. The conference is the outfollowed.

the city.-Reuter.

VATICAN STATE

OWN COMMUNICATIONS TO BE ESTABLISHED

INDEPENDENT OF ITALY

Rome, Yesterday. The newly crected Sovereign State at the Vatican will have its own Telegraph Office and Telephone Exchange, giving the Pope and the Papal authorities communications with the outside world independent of any Italian supervision.

lorries connecting with the various of jade adorned with two parrots,

FINE TO CLOUDY

The weather report issued by the Royal Observatory at 11.05 a.m. to-day stated:-

The anticyclone is now central over Korea. Moderate monsoon may be ex-

pacted over the China Sea. Forecast:-N.E. winds, moderate; fine to cloudy.

COL. FITZMAURICE

ASSOCIATED WITH 'PLANE AND STEAMER SERVICES

ATLANTIC SCHEME

Dublin, Yesterday. Colonel FitzMaurice, whose retirement from the position of head of the Irish Free State Air Force vice. It is alleged that a regular system was recently announced, states that was organised involving not only he has allied himself to important were brought from Amsterdam via Atlantic steamship service between

ASPHYXIATED

11 PERSONS DIE IN NIGHT SHELTER

Paris, Yesterday. ter.-Reuter.

Frost Bursts Pipe

The escape of gas: which killed tomfoolery while 12,000 miners are the 11 persons was due to a pipe locked out. bursting owing to the frost .- Reu-

IDOLATRY IN CHINA

Nanking, Yesterday.

be unsubstantiated. They inform- tion of temples by irresponsible come of the British Financial Mised the deputation to this effect this local authorities," the Minister of sion.-Reuter. morning, whereupon the strike the Interior Hsuch Tuh-pi, has ordered the formulation of "re-Soldiers from the Legation gulations governing the conversion Guards are doing duty at all the of temples of idolatry into other-Legation Quarter gates leading to wise useful and beneficial public buildings."-Reuter.

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FROM THE FAIR THE QUEEN SELECTS AN ASH TRAY OF JADE

PRINCES ALSO PRESENT

London, Yesterday. The Queen, the Prince of Wales and Prince George spent two hours and a half at the British Industries fair at the White City, London, to-The Papal authorities henceforth day, and made an exhaustive inspecmay be put in direct communication tion of the exhibits. One of the first with London, Paris, Berlin, and things which the Queen did on arelsewhere, and will also send their rival was to buy a gift for the King. own correspondence by Pontifical . The gift she chose was an ash tray

and she gave orders for it to be put in her car, so that she could take it straight to the King at The King will be delighted to have a gift of this kind from the exhibi-

tion, said the Queen, for he has always been keenly interested in the fair and would not miss it on any account if he were well. Once inside the fair the Queen and

the two princes separated, for they naturally wished to see different

The Prince of Wales toured the AT THE. whole exhibition, involving a tramp of more than five miles.

The Prince made particular inquiries at various stalls the Empire Marketing Board "as to what being done to improve salesmanship. When visiting Canadian section, the Prince mentioned that he intended to endeavour to go again to Canada in the near future.

The Queen afterwards returned to Bognor.-British Wireless Ser-

IN AUSTRALIA HECKLERS EJECTED FROM

CONFERENCE

DELEGATE WITHDRAWS

Sydney, Yesterday. Thirty persistent interrupters have been ejected from the Industrial Peace Conference, which has been going on since December under Sir Wallace Bruce, and is similar to the conference initiated by Lord Eleven persons were asphyxiated Melchett in England. The hecklers by an escape of gas at a night shel- were particularly virulent against Mr. McDonald, who is representing the northern colliery proprietors, shouting "This conference is

Mr. Jeffrey, the Labour Council's delegate, caused a further stir by withdrawing from the conference. His defection, added to the fact that the powerful Australian Workers Union declined ex initio to participate, has weakened the con-"With a view to exterminating ference which consists of twenty superstitious beliefs and idolatry," employers' delegates and seventeen

ENTRY REFUSED TO UNITED STATES.

IMPORTANT RULING

Detroit, Yesterday. A Federal Court injunction, permitting hundreds of non-British aliens living in Canada to enter the United States daily to work, has been revoked on the ground that the Jay Immigration Treaty on which the injunction is based applies to British subjects only. The ruling is important as similar injunctions have been obtained for aliens at many border points.—Reuter's American Service.

MEAN THEFT

WELL-DESERVED SENTENCE FOR THIEF

At the District Court, New Territories, on Monday, a Chinese was sentenced to three months' hard labour, for robbery at Shataukok on February 12. The victim of the robbery was a widow named Lam Yee-mui, living in an unnumbered hut in Ping-chau-lo village.

The prisoner, Tsim Pun-tse, who is known to the woman, called at the hut at 2 a.m., and by representthat he had been sent by the police to search the place for contraband, got her to admit him. He stole \$28 in money and a silver bangle worth \$12. The police were informed and the thief was arrested a couple of days



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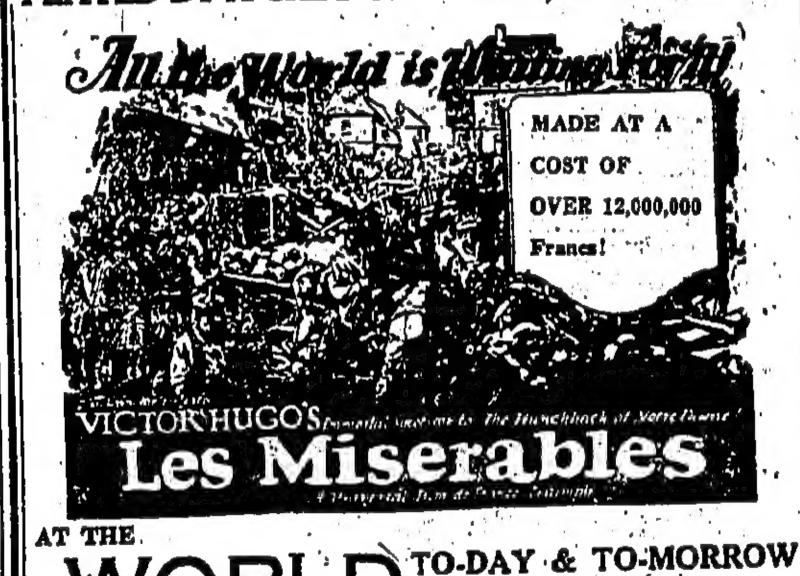
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9.15.—The Banvard Musical Comedy Co .- 9.15.



WOMAN GAGGED

DASTARDLY THEFT BY THREE MEN

last night that at 11 p.m., a woman and she left the place after the roboccupying a cubicle in the flat open- bers did.

led the street door in answer to a knock and admitted three men, one of whom was armed with a danger. The men bound and gagged Sze Ting and then stole money and jewellery to the value of \$68.

Sze Ting, a married woman living The woman who admitted the men on the ground floor of No. 259, Lai- had been staying at the house for chikok-road, reported to the police only two days prior to the robbery,